ATTACK ON TITAN
NO REGRETS
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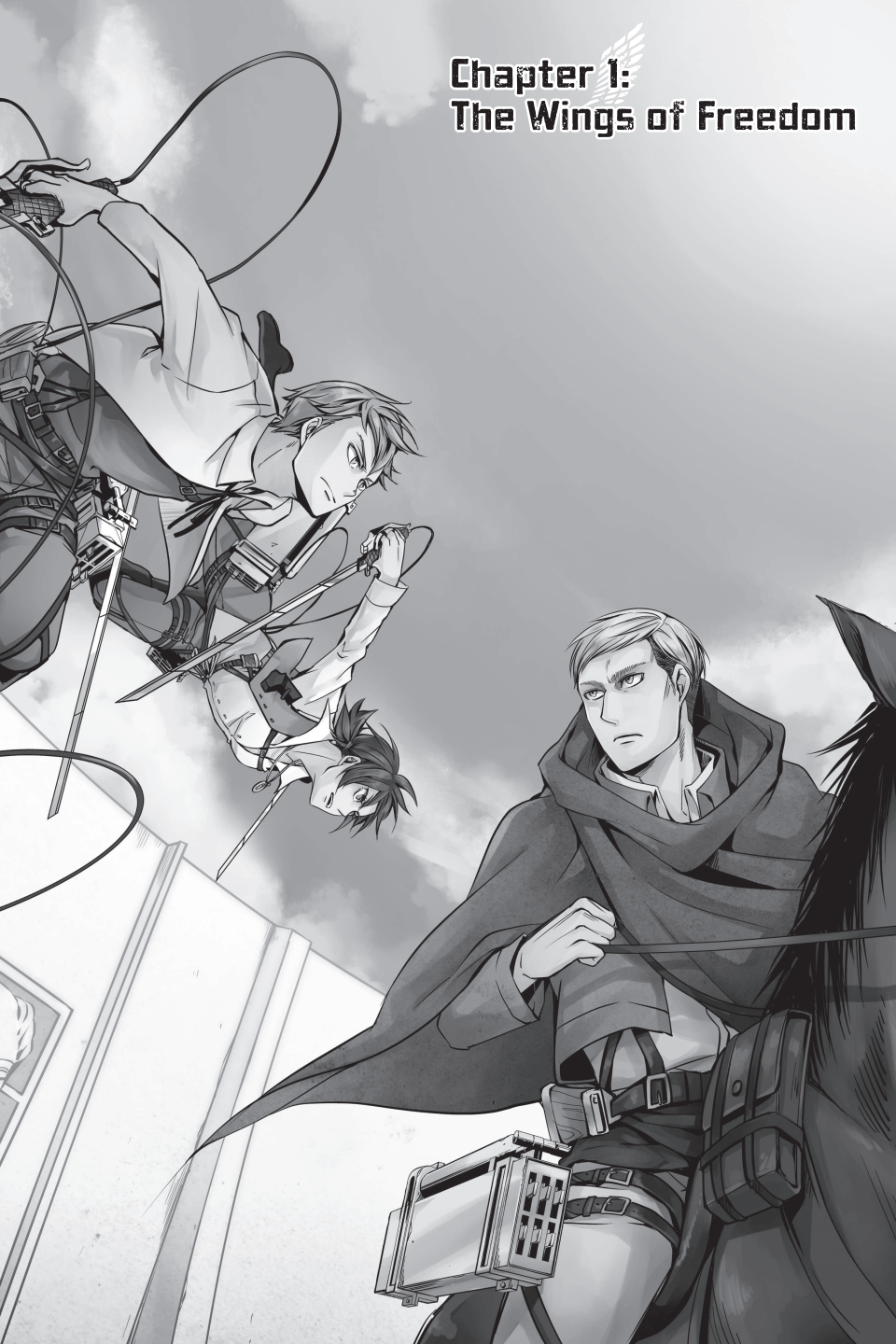
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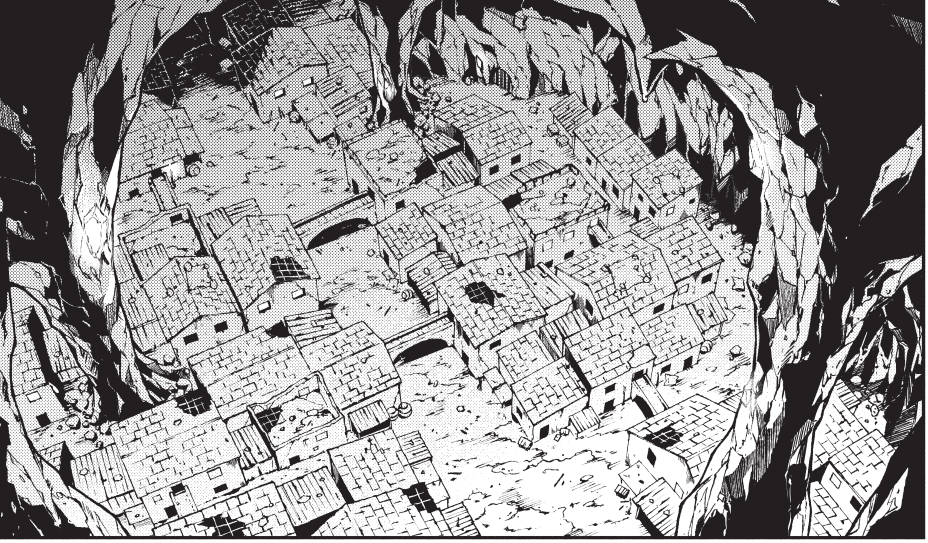
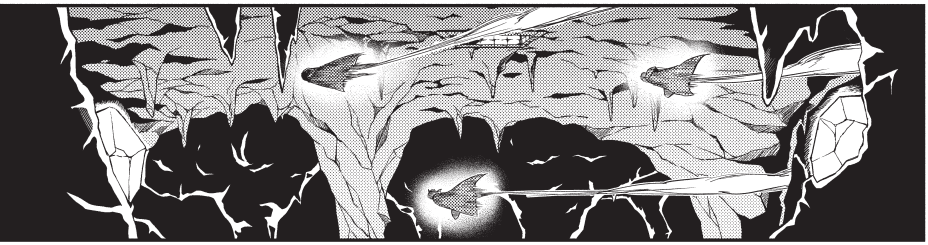
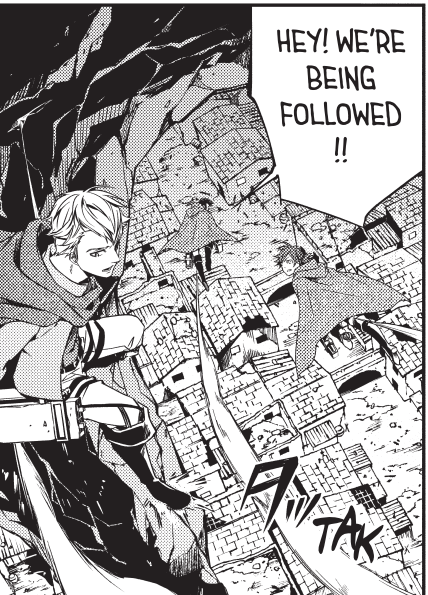
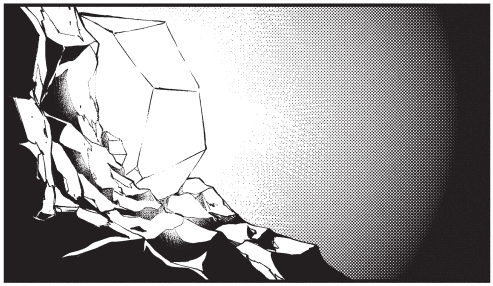





HEY! WE'RE BEING FOLLOWED !!
TAK



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HEY

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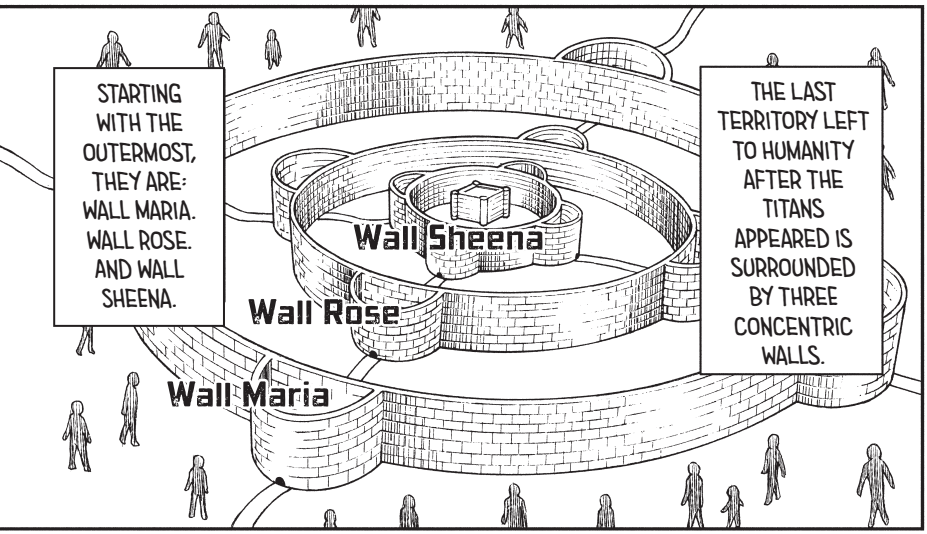
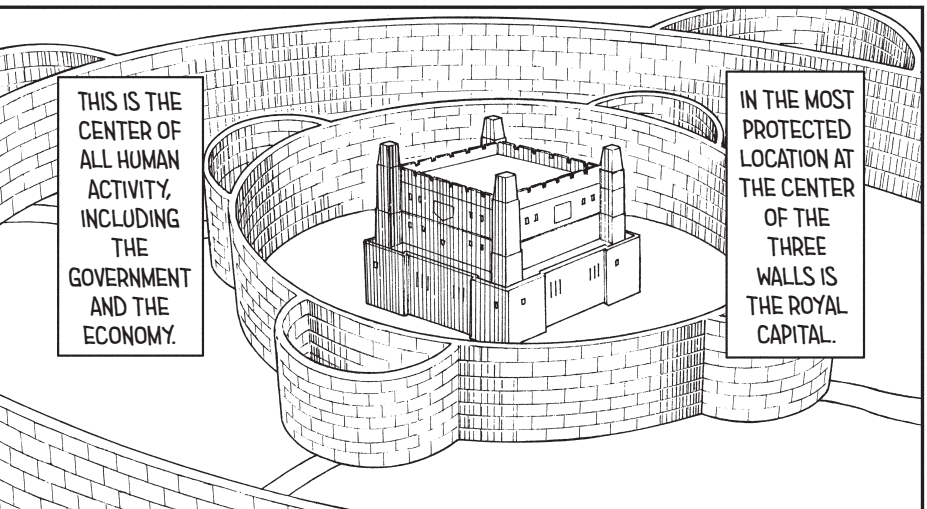
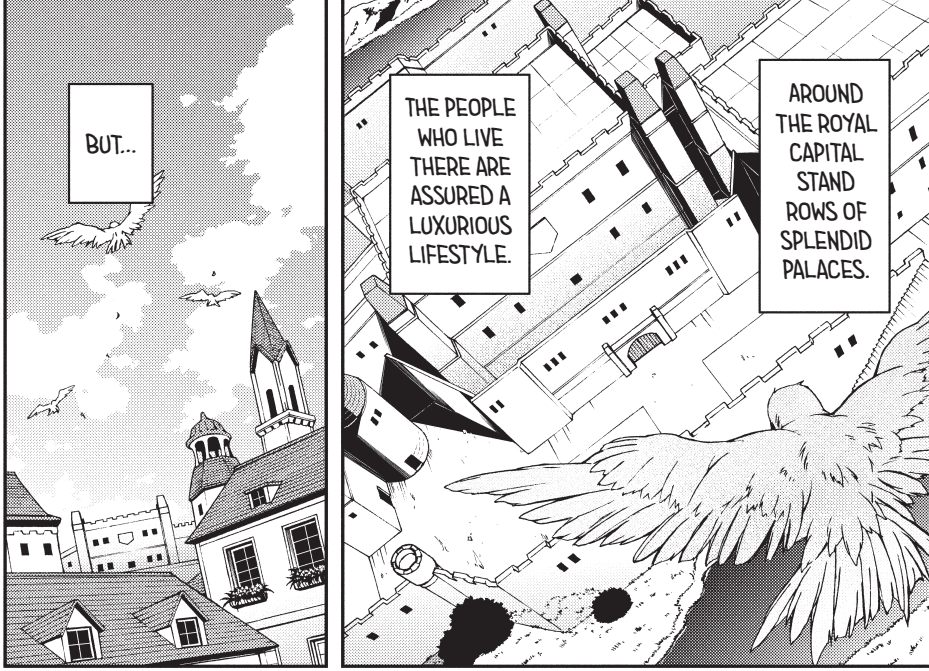
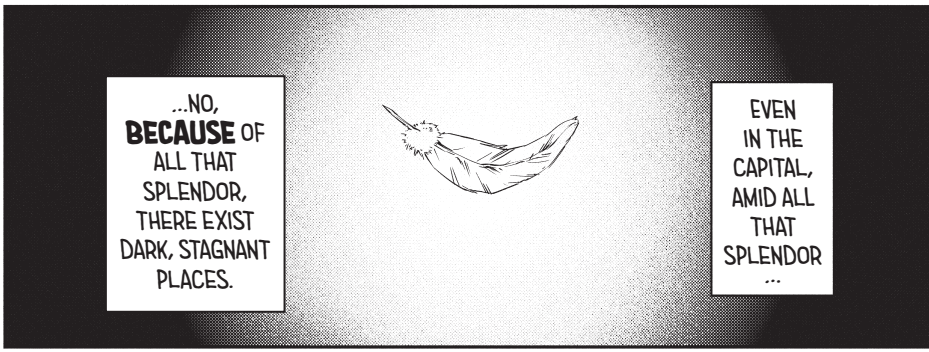
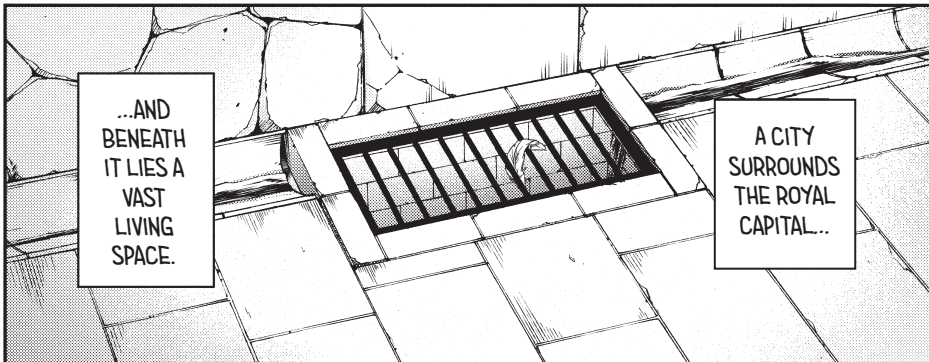
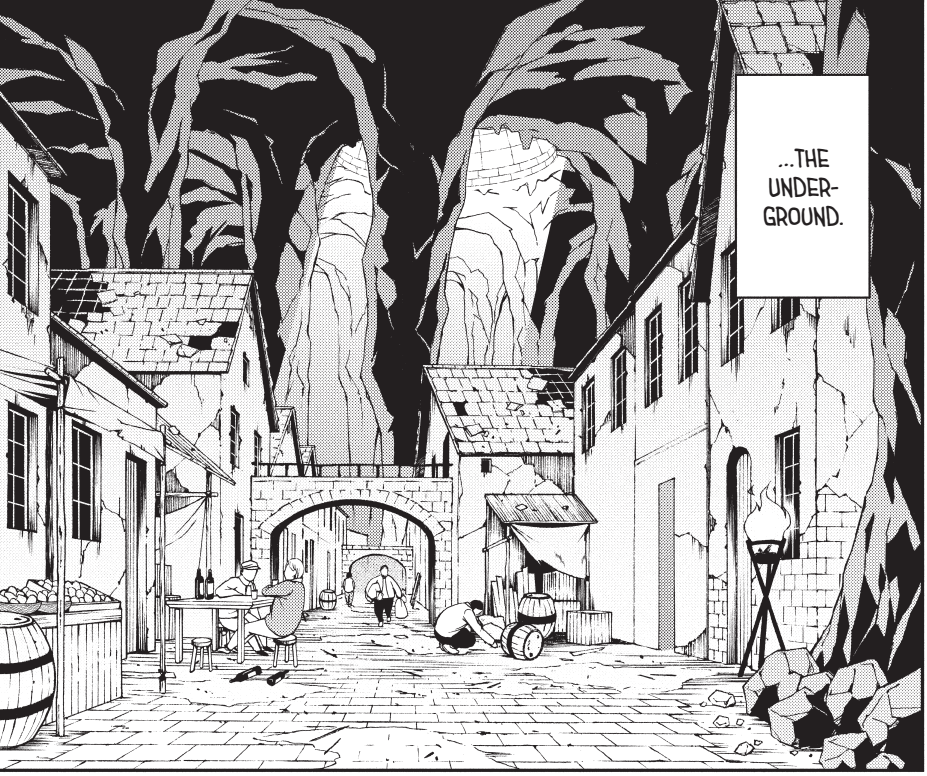

STARTING WITH THE OUTERMOST, THEY ARE: WALL MARIA. WALL ROSE. AND WALL SHEENA.
Wall Sheena
Wall Rose
Wall Maria
THE LAST TERRITORY LEFT TO HUMANITY AFTER THE TITANS APPEARED IS SURROUNDED BY THREE CONCENTRIC WALLS.


THIS IS THE CENTER OF ALL HUMAN ACTIVITY, INCLUDING THE GOVERNMENT AND THE ECONOMY.
IN THE MOST PROTECTED LOCATION AT THE CENTER OF THE THREE WALLS IS THE ROYAL CAPITAL.

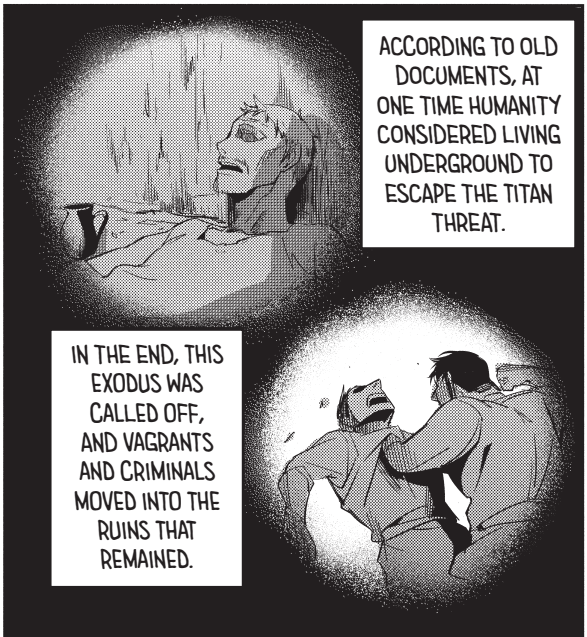

BUT...
THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE THERE ARE ASSURED A LUXURIOUS LIFESTYLE.
AROUND THE ROYAL CAPITAL STAND ROWS OF SPLENDID PALACES.

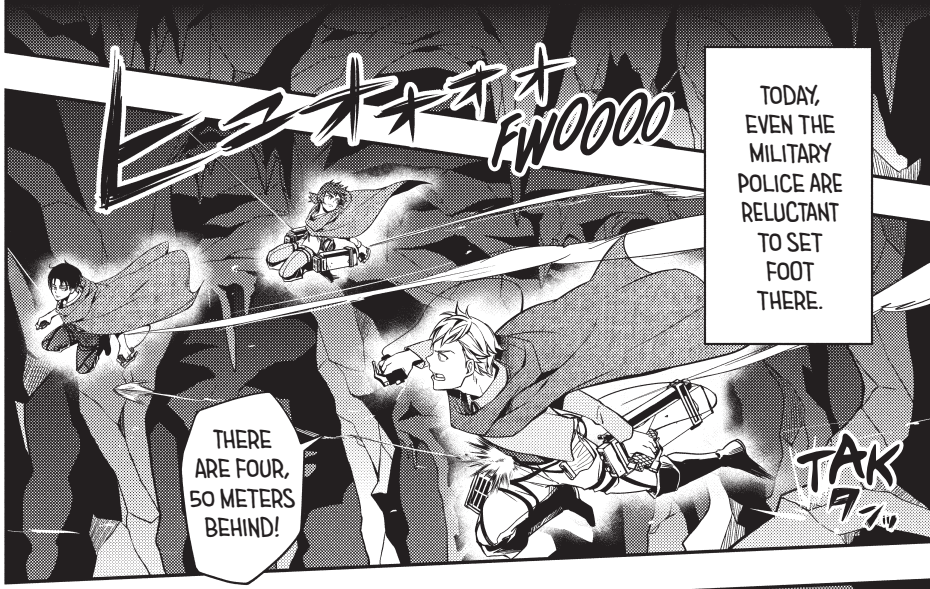

...NO, **BECAUSE** OF ALL THAT SPLENDOR, THERE EXIST DARK, STAGNANT PLACES.
EVEN IN THE CAPITAL, AMID ALL THAT SPLENDOR ...


...AND BENEATH IT LIES A VAST LIVING SPACE.
A CITY SURROUNDS THE ROYAL CAPITAL...


...THE UNDER-GROUND.

THE DEEPEST SECTIONS BECAME SLUMS, ABANDONED EVEN BY THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT.


ACCORDING TO OLD DOCUMENTS, AT ONE TIME HUMANITY CONSIDERED LIVING UNDERGROUND TO ESCAPE THE TITAN THREAT.
IN THE END, THIS EXODUS WAS CALLED OFF, AND VAGRANTS AND CRIMINALS MOVED INTO THE RUINS THAT REMAINED.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FWOOOO
TODAY, EVEN THE MILITARY POLICE ARE RELUCTANT TO SET FOOT THERE.
THERE ARE FOUR, 50 METERS BEHIND!
TAK
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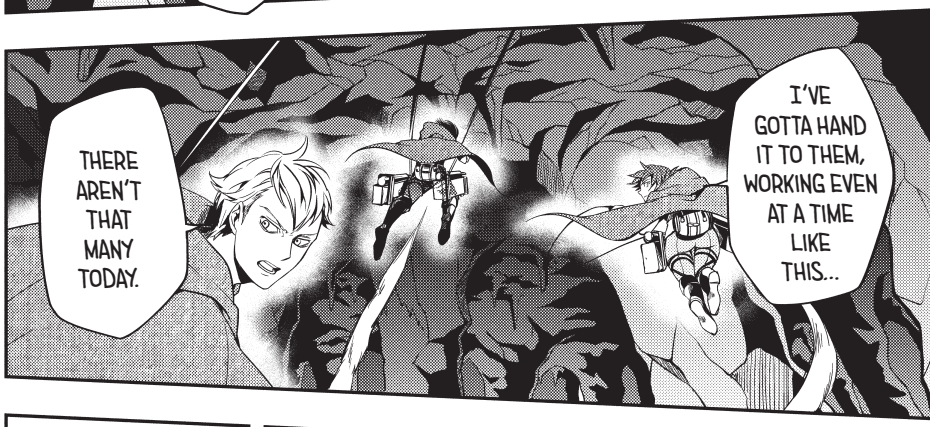

I'VE GOTTA HAND IT TO THEM, WORKING EVEN AT A TIME LIKE THIS...
THERE AREN'T THAT MANY TODAY.

HMPH.
THOSE MILITARY POLICE GUYS JUST DON'T LEARN...

DON'T BE STUPID.
HEY, LEVI! WASN'T THAT COOL, WHAT I SAID?
PSHT
IT'S A PAIN, BUT...
ANYWAY, WE CAN'T AFFORD TO LEAD THEM STRAIGHT TO OUR HIDEOUT.
WHAT?
ISABEL.
YEAH.
FURLAN.

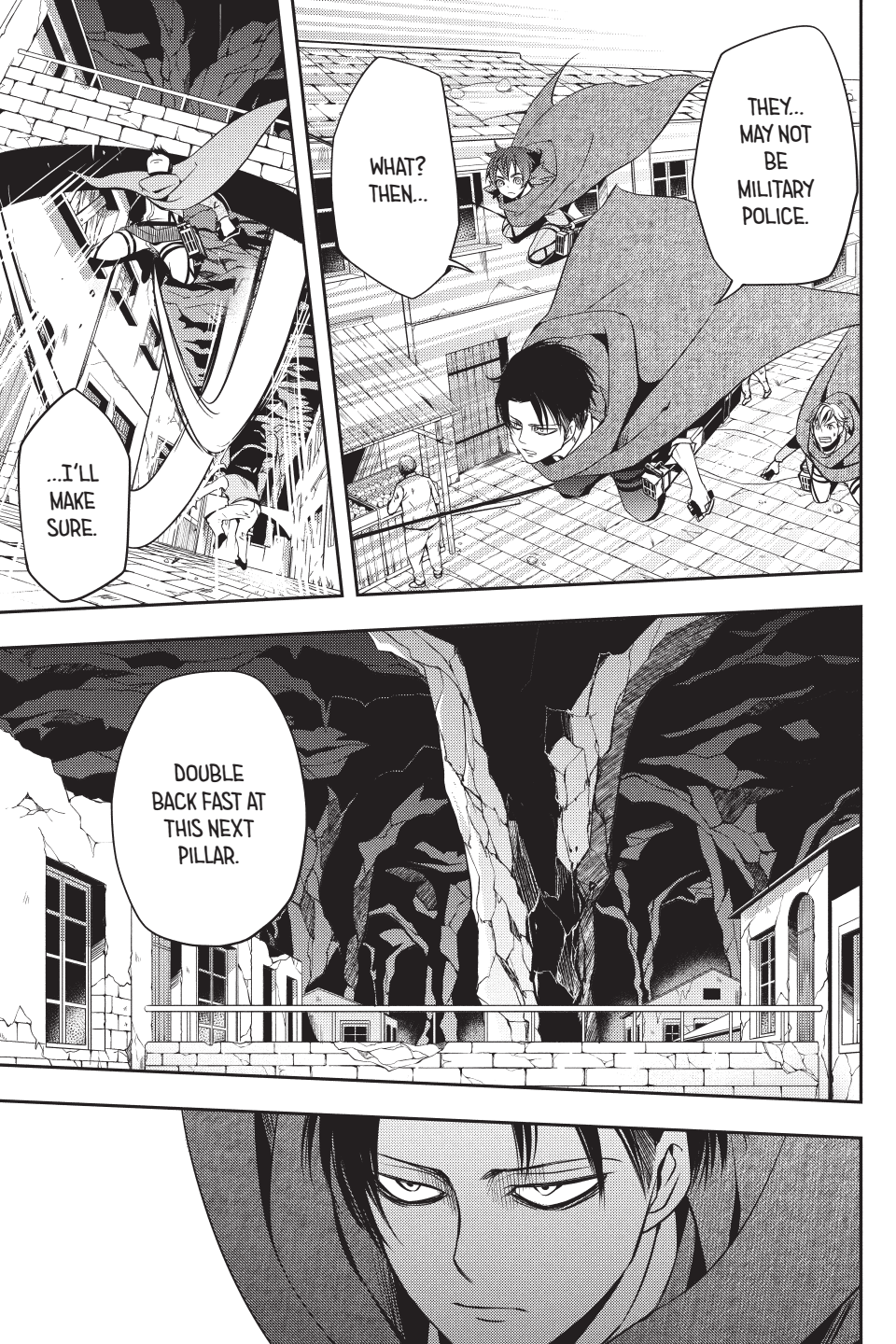
HERE WE GO!
FWAIP

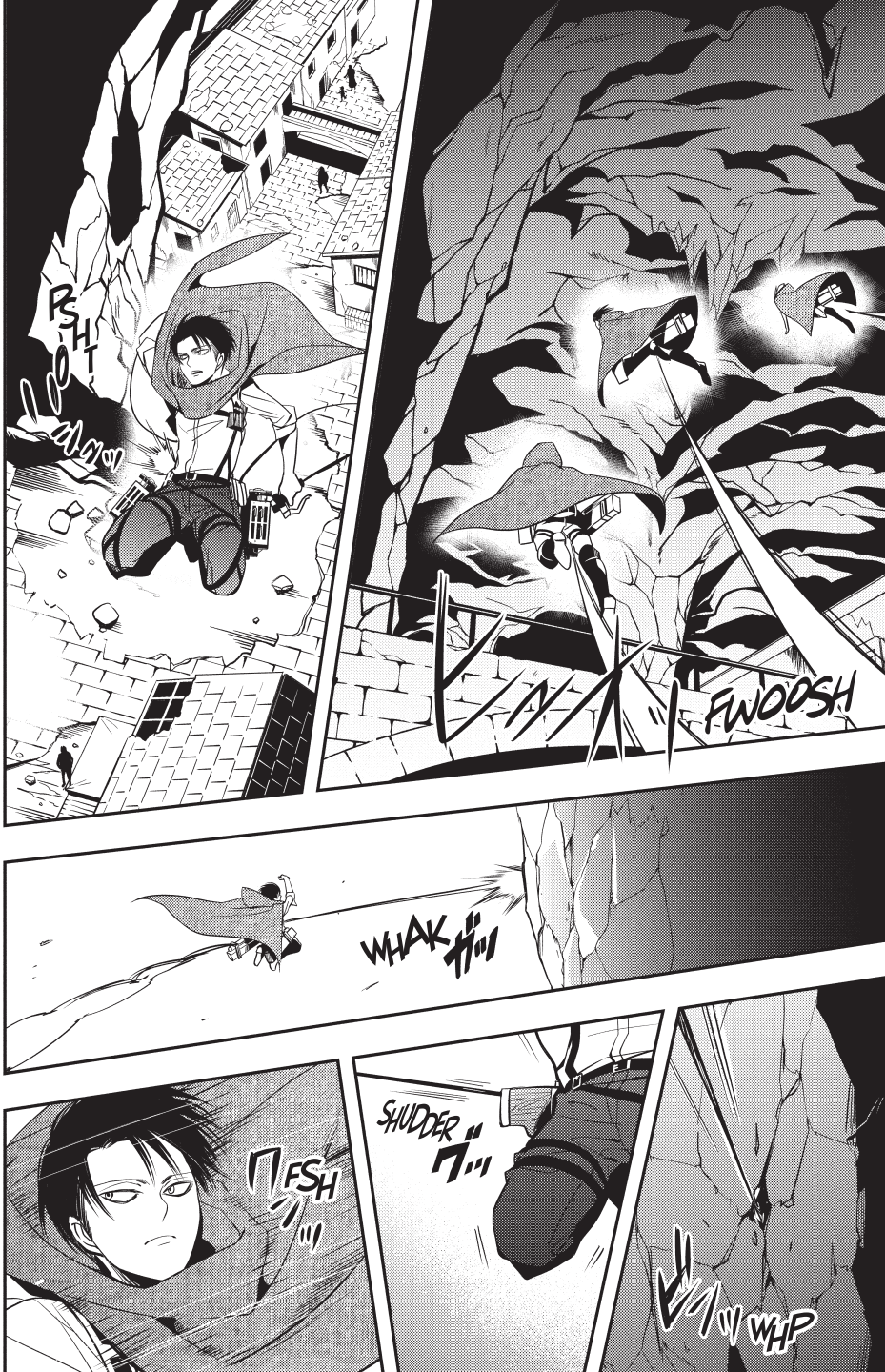
THAK THAK THAK
SHT
WHOOOM
YEEHA!!

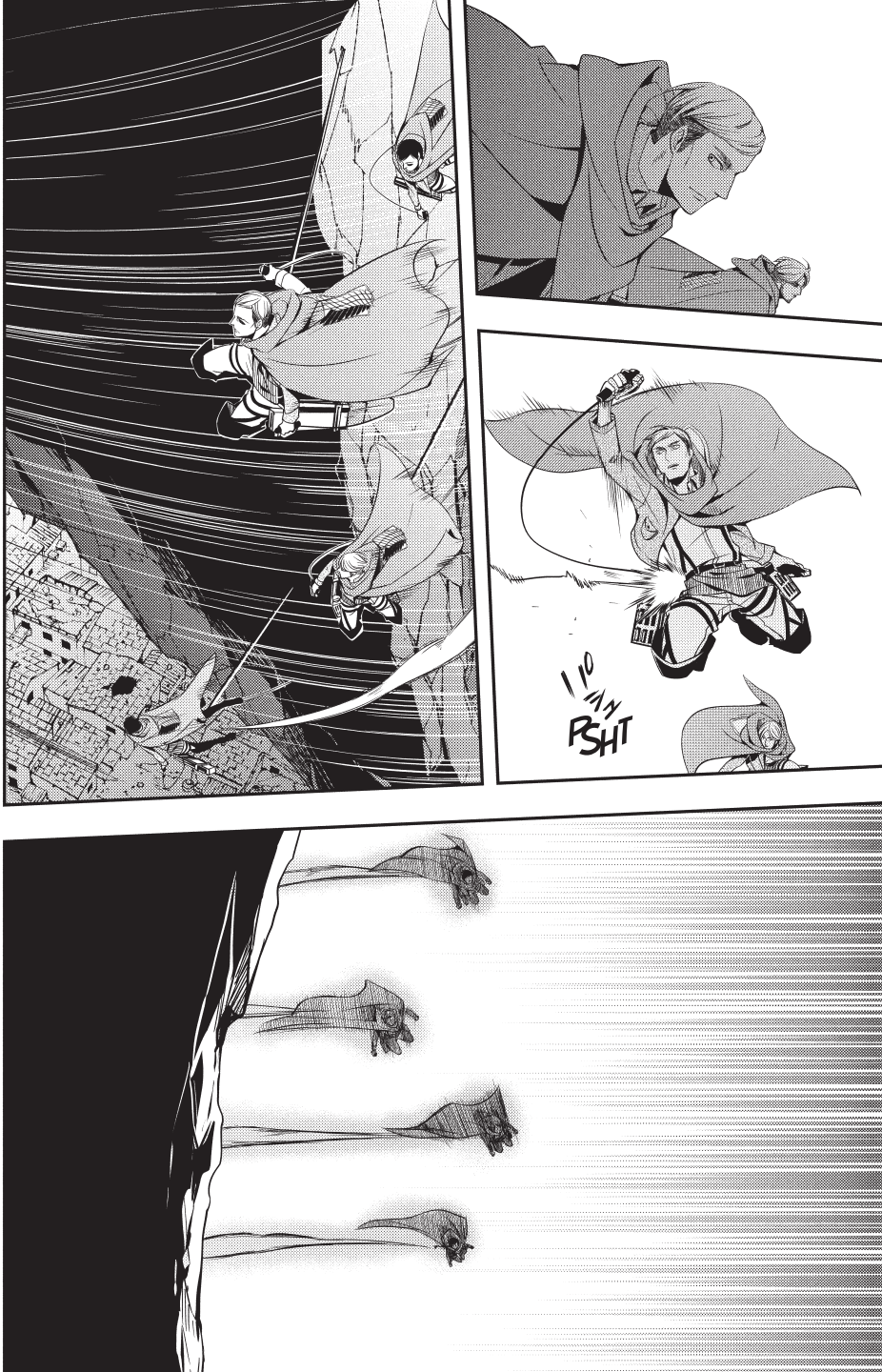
WHAP
OUTTA MY WAY!
WAAAGH!!
SHP
FWOOSH

DAMN IT...
YOU DAMNED HOODLUMS !!
HEY.
THEY'RE STILL COMING AFTER US.
AND THEY'RE EVEN CLOSER THAN BEFORE.

SO TODAY THEY'VE DECIDED TO GET SERIOUS AND ACTUALLY TRY TO CATCH US?
NOT BAD FOR MILITARY POLICE!
...
WHAT A BOTHER.
SHOULDN'T THEY BE OFF TAKING THE KING'S TEMPERATURE OR SOMETHING?
PSHT
THINGS MUST BE SO QUIET TOPSIDE THEY HAVE TIME FOR A BUSINESS TRIP UNDERGROUND.
TO BE ABLE TO FLY SO STRAIGHT THROUGH THIS RABBLE WOULD MEAN... BUT IT CAN'T BE...
IN THE FIRST PLACE, THERE'S NO WAY THOSE LAZY MPS WOULD WORK THIS HARD.
SOMETHING'S STILL STRANGE.
NO...


THEY... MAY NOT BE MILITARY POLICE.
WHAT? THEN...
...I'LL MAKE SURE.
DOUBLE BACK FAST AT THIS NEXT PILLAR.


RSHT
FWOOSH
WHAK
FSH
SHUDDER
WHP


PSHT

...I MEAN, SHIT.
...
NOT BAD!
WHOO!
JUST WHAT I'D EXPECT FROM THE SURVEY CORPS.
ARE YOU SURE?!
YEAH.
THE SURVEY CORPS?
WHAT?

I SAW THE MARKS ON THEIR BACKS WHEN THEY PASSED BY.
IT WAS...
THE "WINGS OF FREEDOM."
AREN'T THE SURVEY CORPS THE ONES WHO GO OUTSIDE THE WALL AND ACTUALLY FIGHT TITANS?
I GUESS REAL BATTLE-HARDENED TROOPS ARE SOMETHING ELSE!

LEVI.
I GOT NO INTENTION OF GETTING MIXED UP WITH THESE GUYS.
BUT NOW THAT THEY'RE AFTER US, THEY WON'T BE EASY TO LOSE.
I'LL TAKE 'EM ON!
I'LL MAKE EVERY ONE OF 'EM CRY!
DAMN IT...
THIS HAS BECOME AN ORDEAL.
IF WE GET CAUGHT, THEY'RE SURE TO CONFISCATE THIS GEAR!
EVEN IF WE GET OFF WITHOUT PUNISHMENT, IT'S GOING TO BE A PAIN.

YOU BOTH GET IT, RIGHT?
GEE, THANKS!
YEAH, DON'T GET CAUGHT!
THEN JUST DON'T GET CAUGHT.
YEAH, YEAH.
O'COURSE!
FWOOM

TWO OFFICERS WITH THEM, HUH?
NOW THEN...
LET'S SEE HOW GOOD THE SURVEY CORPS REALLY IS...
KCHIK

WHAP
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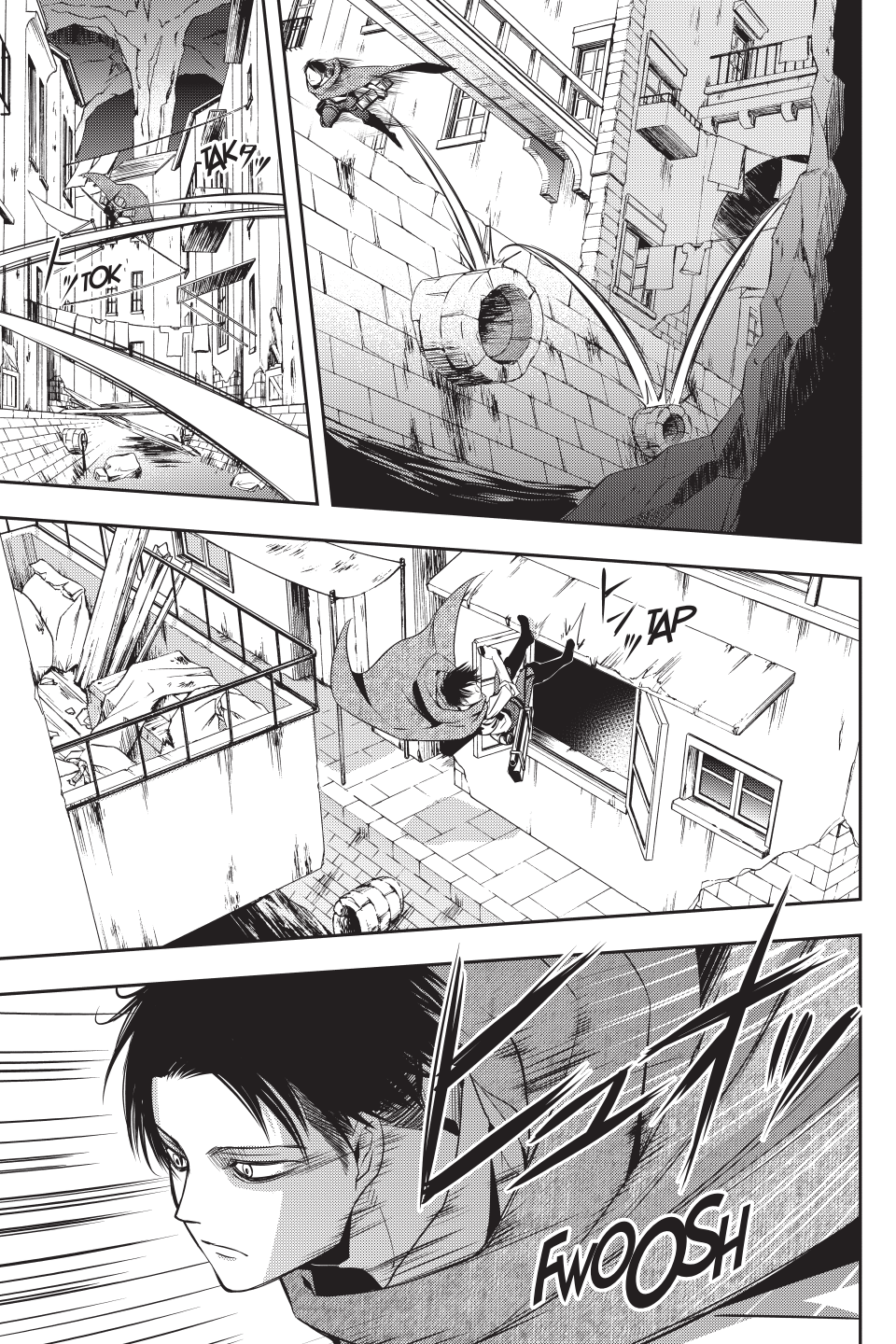
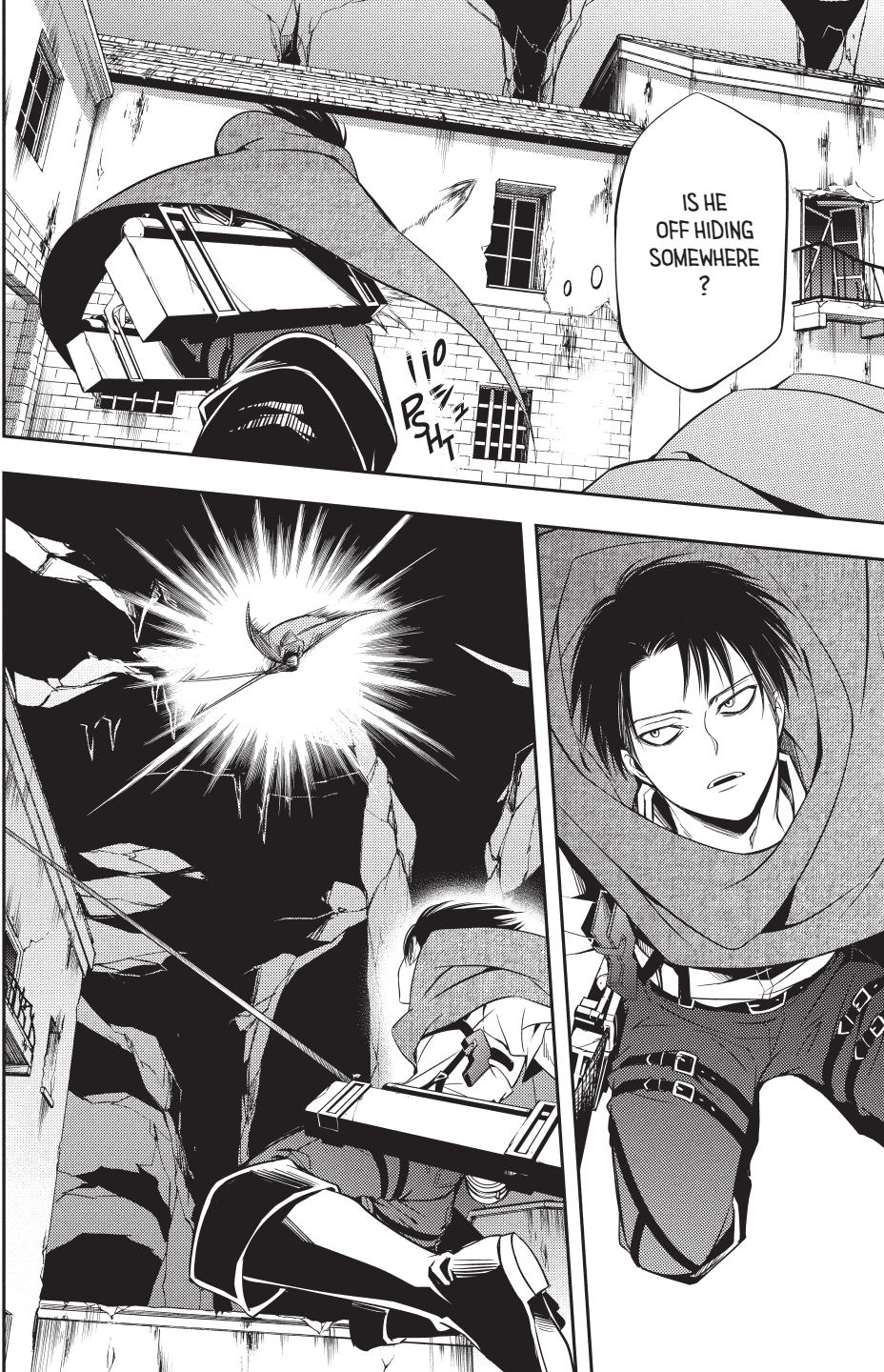

TAK
TOK
TAP
FWOOSH

TWAK
...
LOST 'EM, HUH?

THAT GOT A LITTLE CRAZY...
I HOPE...
...NONE OF THEM CRASHED.
PWAK
TAK
!!
WHAM

BAM
GRAB
THERE SHOULD BE ONE MORE...


IS HE OFF HIDING SOMEWHERE ?
PSHH

FWIK
WHUD
KAWHAM

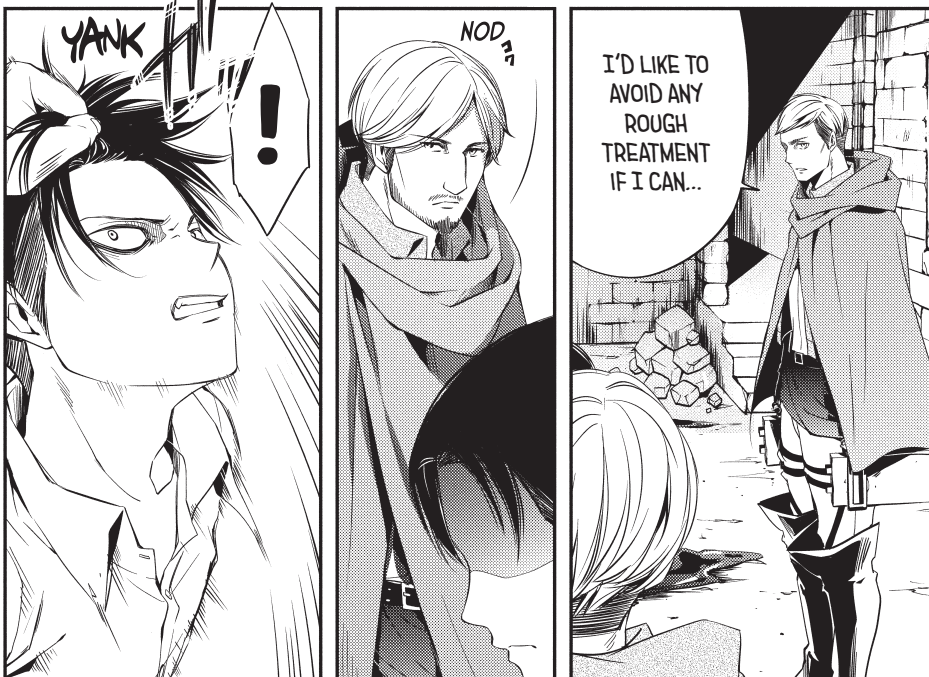
YOU BROUGHT HIM DOWN, ERWIN?
NO.
...
ザ..SHK

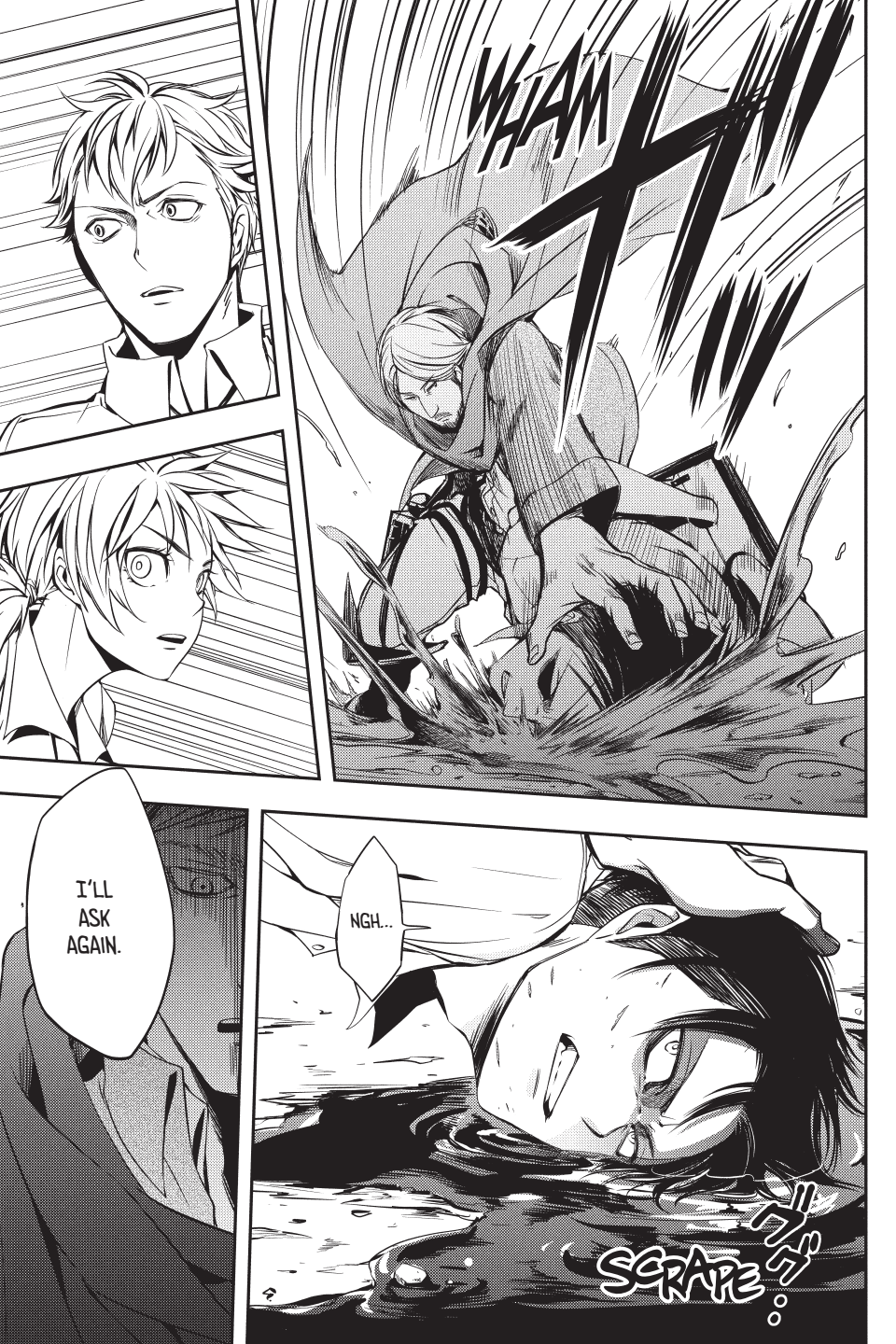
FWING
NGH...
STOP!
LOOK AROUND YOU!

...
DON'T WASTE YOUR STRENGTH, ISABEL.
SQUAD LEADER, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
LEGGO, YOU BAS-TARD!
YOU BOTH DID WELL.
YES.
WHERE DID YOU GET YOUR HANDS ON THIS?
I HAVE SOME QUESTIONS TO ASK YOU.

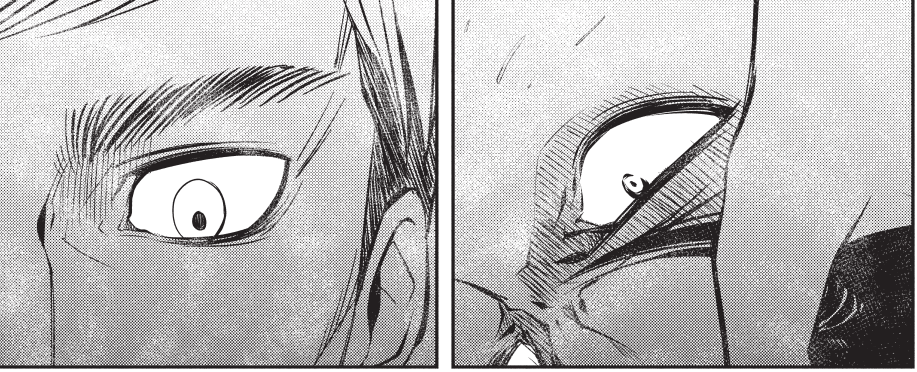
YOUR VERTICAL MANEUVERING SKILLS WERE EXCELLENT.
WHO TAUGHT YOU?
...
...
...
...
YOU ARE THE LEADER, RIGHT?
HAVE YOU EVER RECEIVED MILITARY TRAINING?

THAT IS THE FACE OF A MAN...
...WHO WANTS TO KILL ME AND ESCAPE.
...


YANK
!
NOD
I'D LIKE TO AVOID ANY ROUGH TREATMENT IF I CAN...

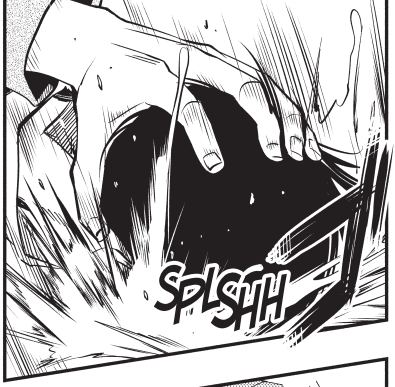

WHAM
I'LL ASK AGAIN.
NGH...
SCRAPE

WHERE DID YOU LEARN VERTICAL MANEUVERING?



YOU THINK WE'RE GONNA LET A **CIVIL SERVANT** PUSH US AROUND?!
WE DIDN'T LEARN IT FROM ANYONE!

ANYONE WHO DOESN'T KNOW WHAT SEWAGE TASTES LIKE COULDN'T UNDERSTAND!
WE FIGURED IT OUT SO WE COULD SURVIVE IN THIS DUMP!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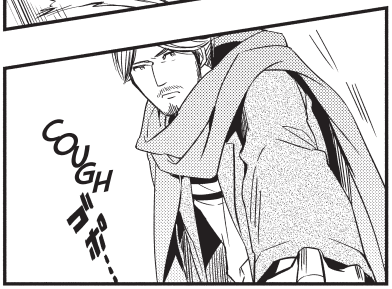
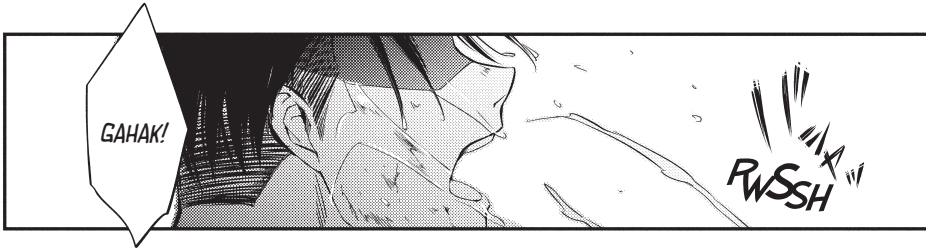
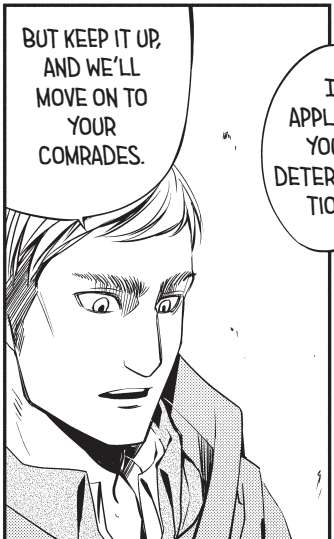

COUGH
HE...

WHAT ARE YOUR NAMES?
MY NAME IS ERWIN SMITH.
...


GAHAK!
RWSSH


BUT KEEP IT UP, AND WE'LL MOVE ON TO YOUR COMRADES.

I APPLAUD YOUR DETERMINATION.
GHAK!
NGUH...

IF YOU'RE GONNA DO IT, DO IT!!
!
WHAT IS YOUR NAME?
YOU BASTARD...

...
...IT'S LEVI.
SPLASH
LEVI.
WOULD YOU MAKE A DEAL WITH ME?

I WON'T ASK ABOUT YOUR CRIMES.
IN RETURN, YOU WILL LEND ME YOUR STRENGTH, AND JOIN THE SURVEY CORPS.
DEAL ...?
I TURN YOU OVER TO THE MILITARY POLICE.
CONSIDERING YOUR CRIMES, I DON'T THINK YOU OR YOUR COMRADES CAN EXPECT DECENT TREATMENT.
IF I REFUSE ?
JOIN THE SURVEY CORPS ...?!
CHOOSE WHICHEVER PATH YOU WISH.
...

GRIT
VERY WELL.
I'LL JOIN THE SURVEY CORPS.

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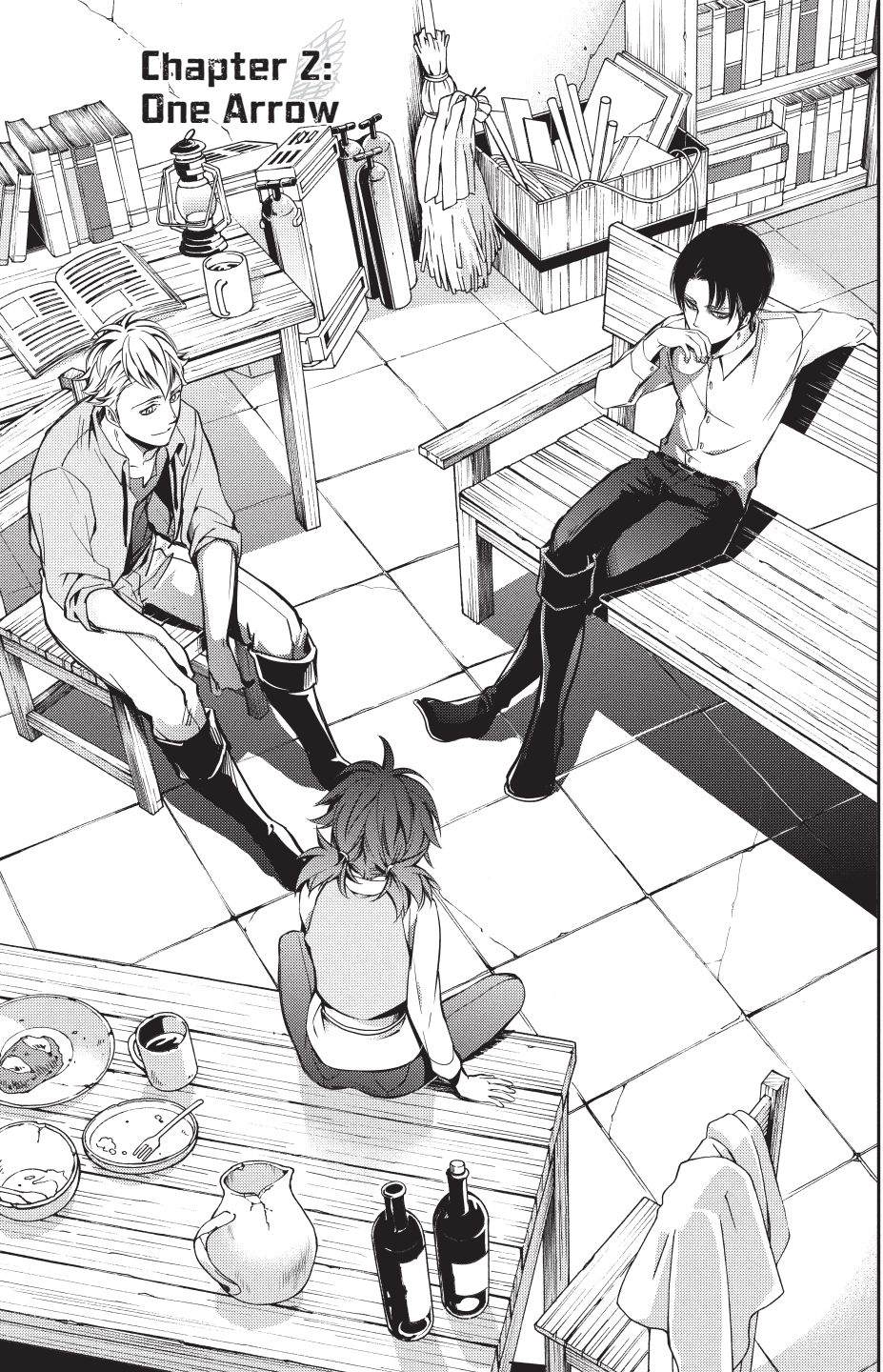
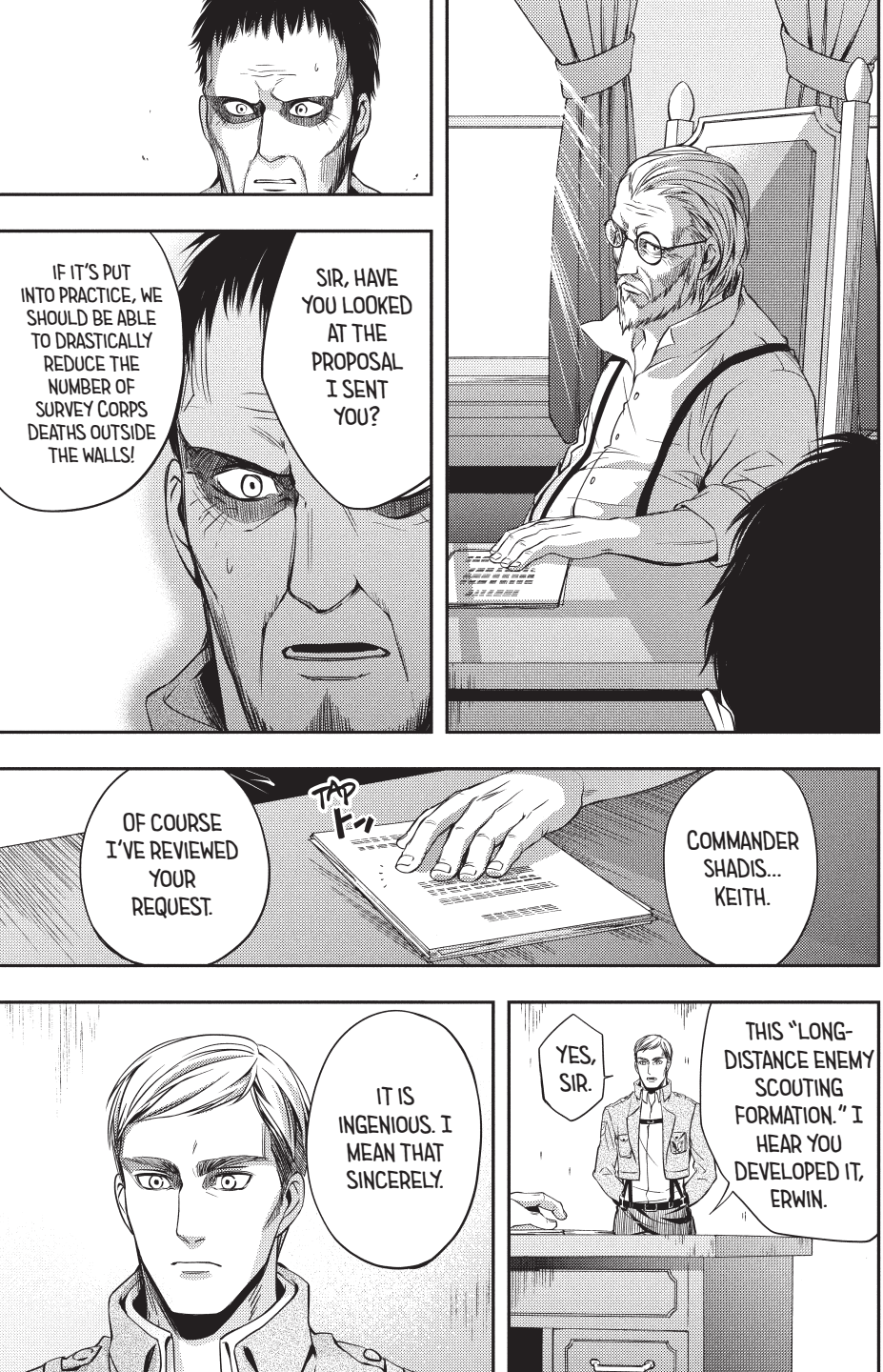
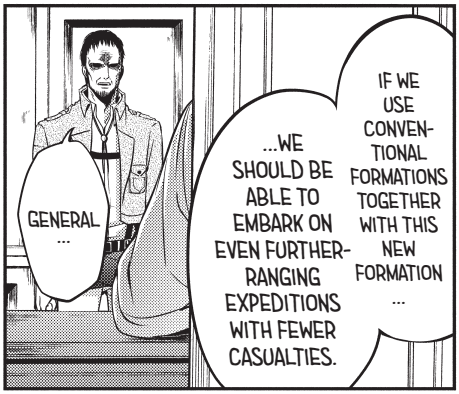
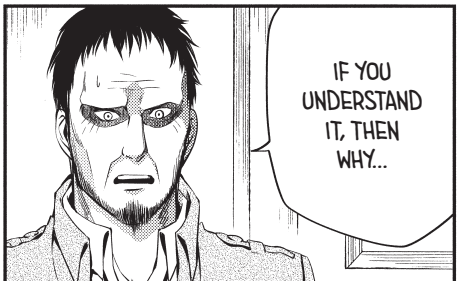


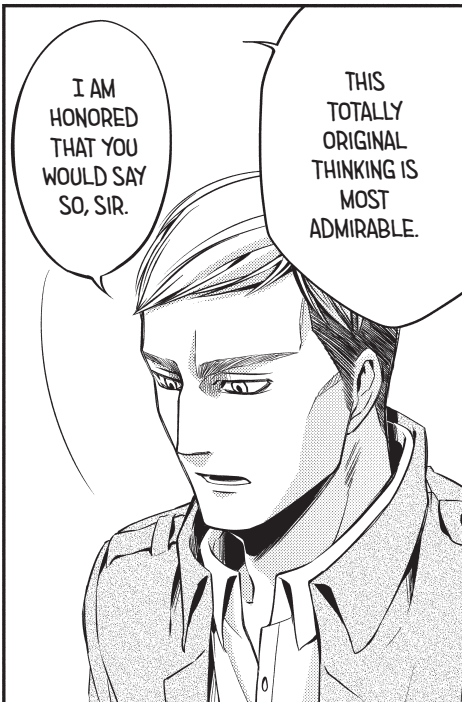
CLAKAKAKA
HI
A FEW WEEKS EARLIER, AT MILITARY COMMAND...
I CANNOT ACCEPT THAT!!


IF IT'S PUT INTO PRACTICE, WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DRASTICALLY REDUCE THE NUMBER OF SURVEY CORPS DEATHS OUTSIDE THE WALLS!
SIR, HAVE YOU LOOKED AT THE PROPOSAL I SENT YOU?
OF COURSE I'VE REVIEWED YOUR REQUEST.
TAP
トン
COMMANDER SHADIS... KEITH.
IT IS INGENIOUS. I MEAN THAT SINCERELY.
YES, SIR.
THIS "LONG-DISTANCE ENEMY SCOUTING FORMATION." I HEAR YOU DEVELOPED IT, ERWIN.

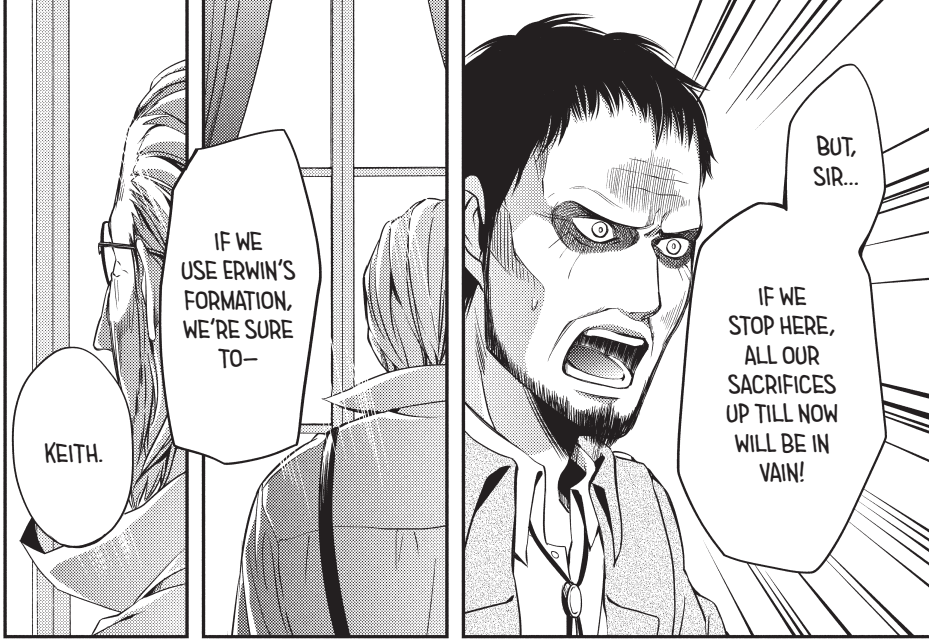
ON PREVIOUS EXPEDITIONS, THE CORPS FOCUSED ENTIRELY ON HOW TO DEFEAT THE TITANS IT ENCOUNTERED.
BUT YOUR PROPOSAL PUTS GREATER EMPHASIS ON HOW TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF TITAN ENCOUNTERS.

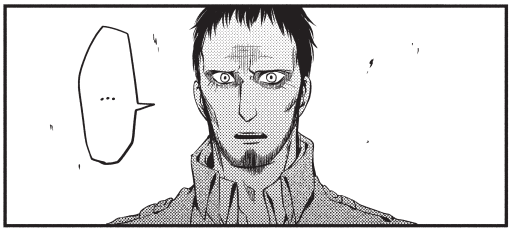

GENERAL...
...WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO EMBARK ON EVEN FURTHER-RANGING EXPEDITIONS WITH FEWER CASUALTIES.
IF WE USE CONVEN-TIONAL FORMATIONS TOGETHER WITH THIS NEW FORMATION...


IF YOU UNDERSTAND IT, THEN WHY...


I AM HONORED THAT YOU WOULD SAY SO, SIR.
THIS TOTALLY ORIGINAL THINKING IS MOST ADMIRABLE.

SIGH
...
FOR A LONG TIME, MANY MEMBERS HAVE OPPOSED CONTINUING THE EXPEDITIONS BEYOND THE WALLS.
I CAN'T GET THE APPROVAL OF THE COUNCIL.
IN THE PAST, I'VE MANAGED TO PERSUADE THEM TO PROVIDE FUNDING.
BUT NOW, EVEN THE PUBLIC DOESN'T PARTICULARLY BELIEVE IN SENDING YOU BEYOND THE WALLS.
...OF COURSE. WE KNOW THAT.
NOW I HAVE COUNCILMAN LOVOF DEMANDING THE OUTRIGHT DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPS.
HE HAS GREAT INFLUENCE EVEN IN THE HOUSE OF PEERS, AND HAS A LOT OF CRONIES WHO SYMPATHIZE WITH HIM.

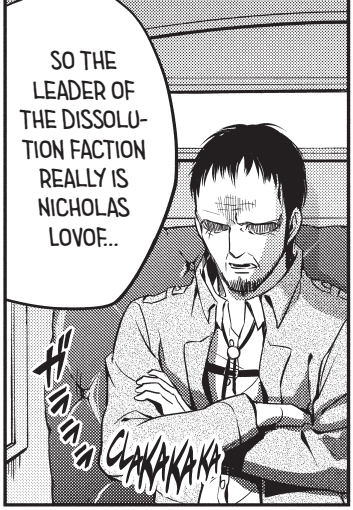

KEITH.
IF WE USE ERWIN'S FORMATION, WE'RE SURE TO—
BUT, SIR...
IF WE STOP HERE, ALL OUR SACRIFICES UP TILL NOW WILL BE IN VAIN!


...

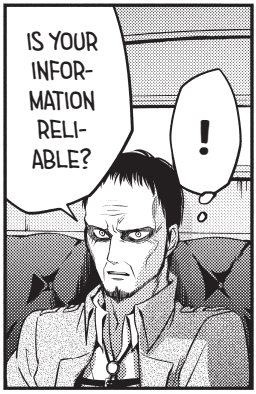
THE COUNCIL WON'T VOTE ON IT FOR ANOTHER FIVE DAYS, BUT... THERE'S PROBABLY NO WAY TO STOP IT.
...
HAVE THEY ALREADY DECIDED TO SUSPEND OUR ACTIVITIES?

PLEASE UNDERSTAND.

UNDER-
STOOD,
SIR.
CLAKA
CLAKA
CLAKA
CLAKA
CLAKA
...
CLAKA
KAKA


SO THE LEADER OF THE DISSOLUTION FACTION REALLY IS NICHOLAS LOVOF...
CLAKAKAKA...

CLAKA CLAKA
CLAKA
IT WAS JUST AS YOU SUSPECTED, COMMANDER.
...YES.


IS YOUR INFORMATION RELIABLE?
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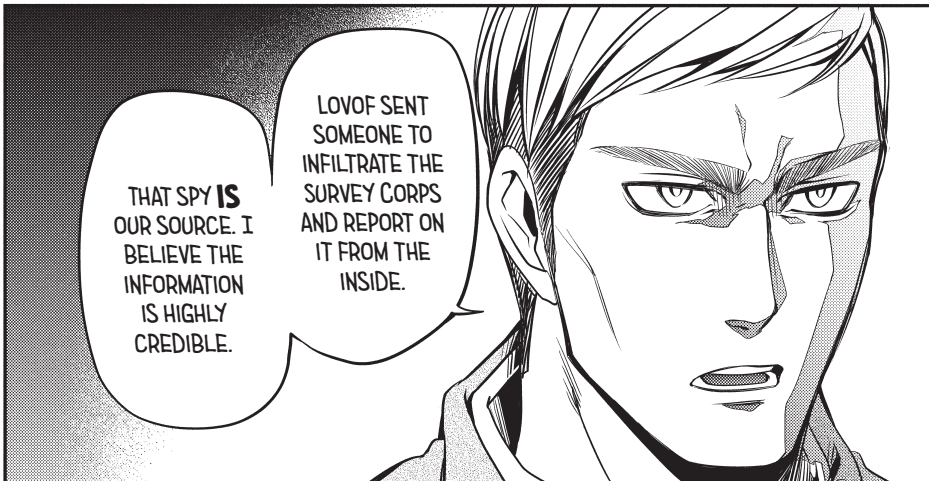
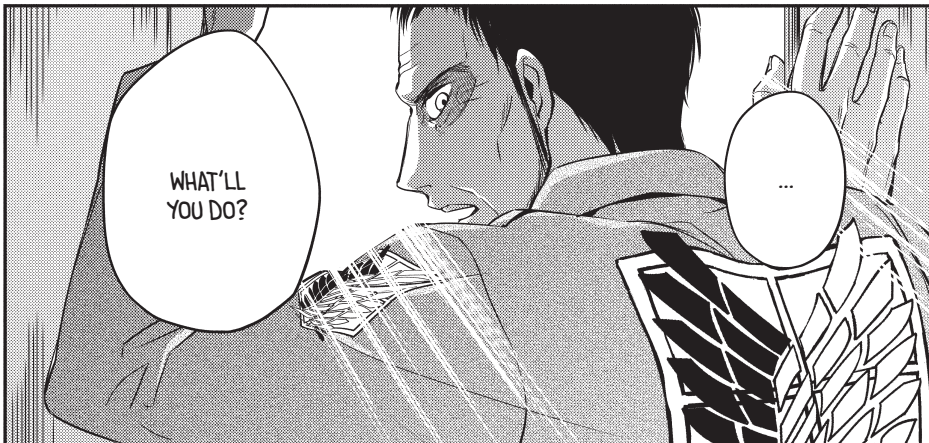
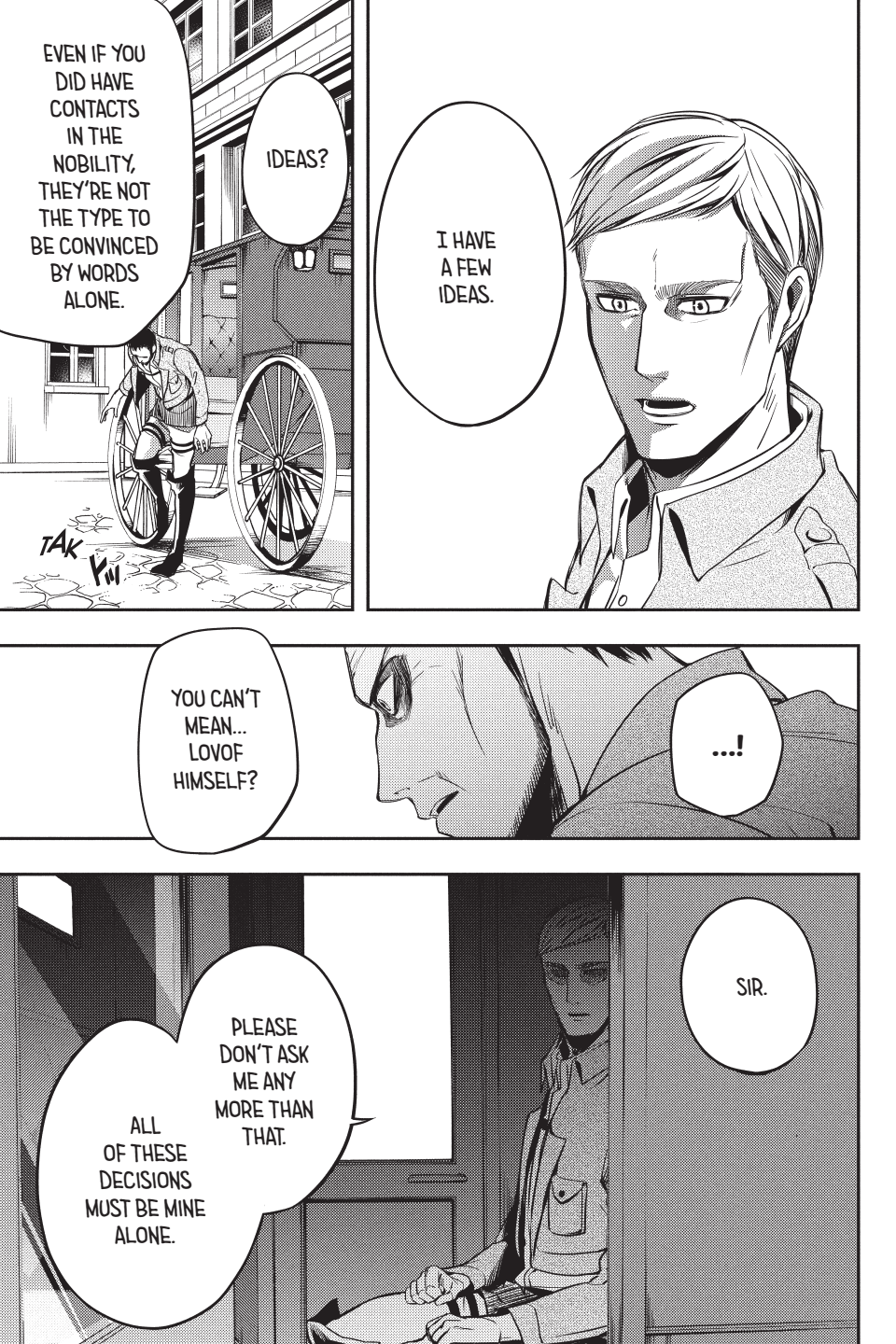
HE MUST BE HOPING TO REDIRECT THE FUNDS THAT WILL BE FREED UP BY SUSPENDING OUR EXPEDITIONS.
...LOVOF HAS CONNECTIONS TO THE LANG COMPANY, WHICH IS DELIVERING GOODS TO THE MILITARY POLICE BRIGADE.
ACCORDING TO THE INFORMATION I'VE GATHERED ...

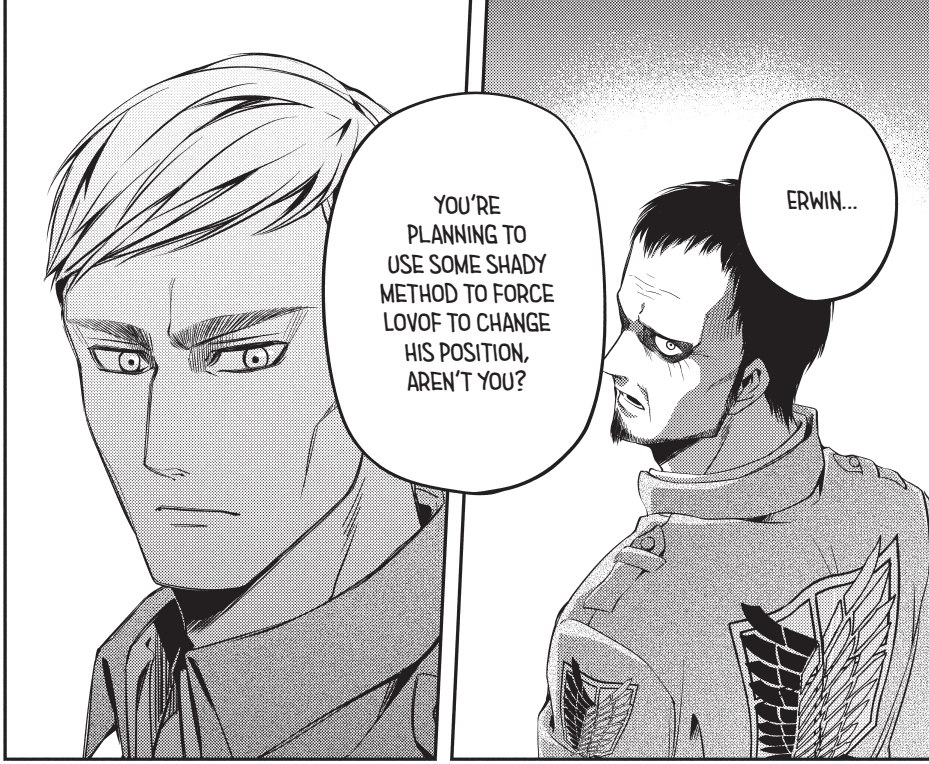

LOVOF SENT SOMEONE TO INFILTRATE THE SURVEY CORPS AND REPORT ON IT FROM THE INSIDE.
THAT SPY **IS** OUR SOURCE. I BELIEVE THE INFORMATION IS HIGHLY CREDIBLE.

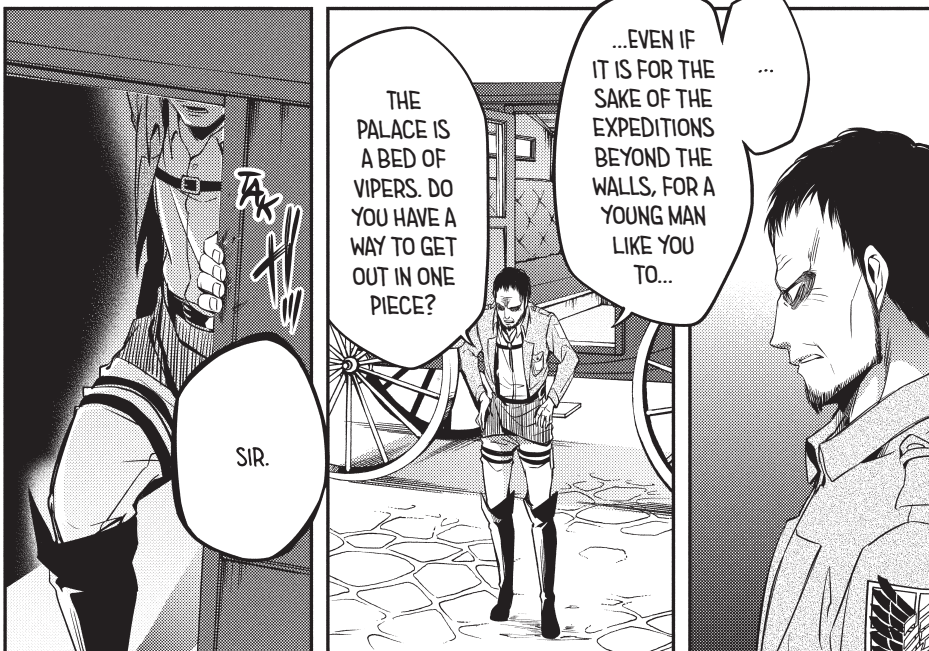
I THINK THAT, TO SOME EXTENT, GENERAL ZACKLY IS ALREADY AWARE OF IT.
CLAKA...
AND IF THAT'S TRUE, WHAT DO WE DO ABOUT IT?
DO WE APPEAL TO THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF?
CLAKA CLAKA
IT'S LIKELY THAT THERE ARE CIRCUMSTANCES PREVENTING HIM FROM GOING PUBLIC.
...
KCHAK
WE'VE ARRIVED, SIRS.

SIR, WOULD YOU LEAVE THIS MATTER TO ME?
...I SEE.
SIGH
I'M USELESS WITH THESE POLITICAL INTRIGUES.
CREAK

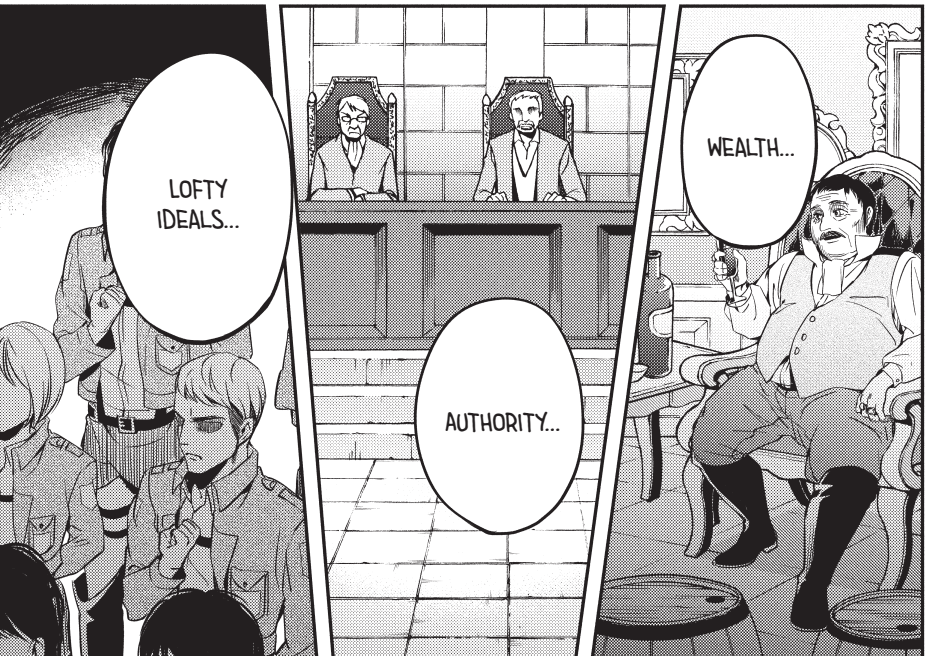

WHAT'LL YOU DO?
...

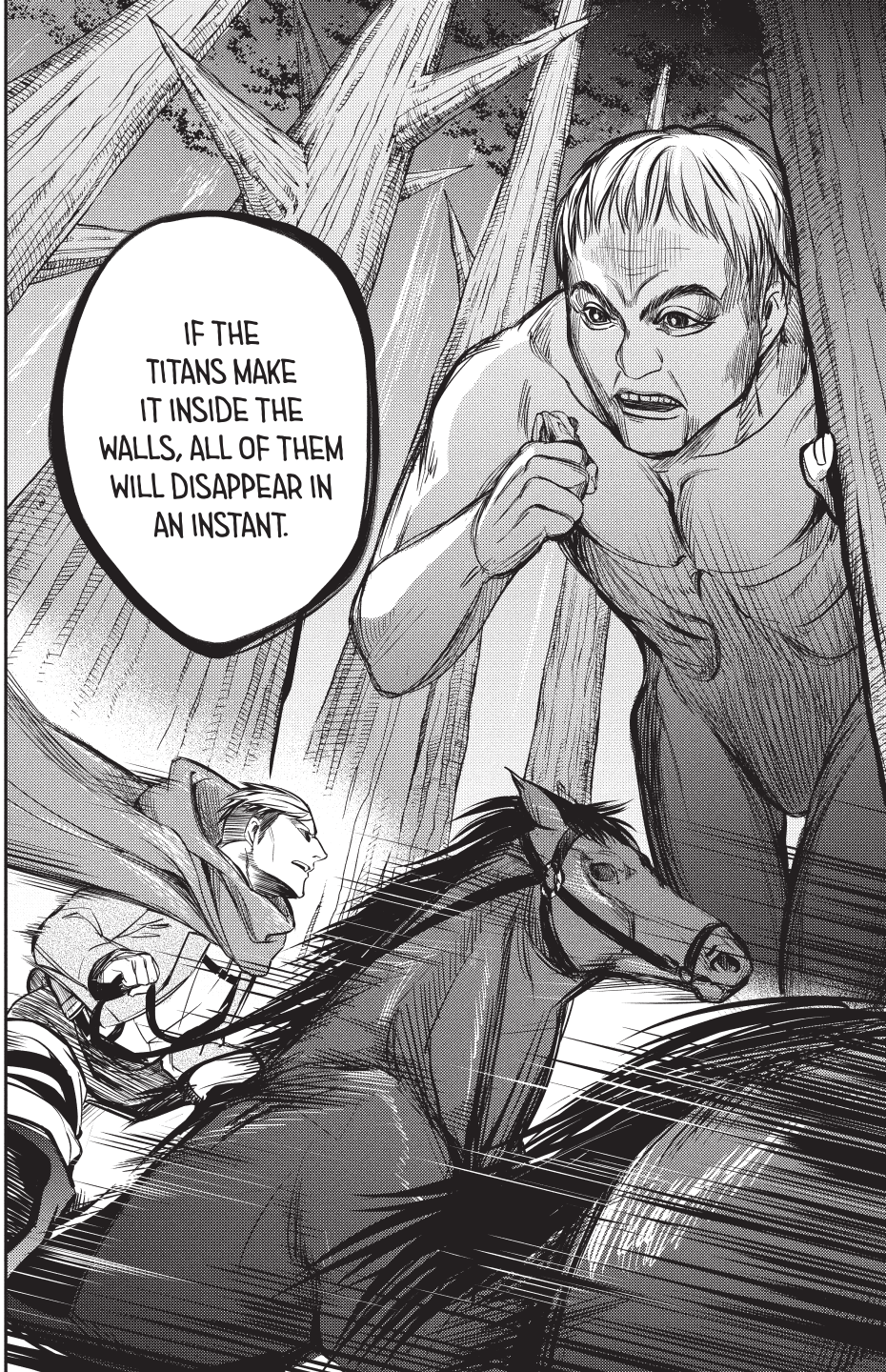

EVEN IF YOU DID HAVE CONTACTS IN THE NOBILITY, THEY'RE NOT THE TYPE TO BE CONVINCED BY WORDS ALONE.
IDEAS?
I HAVE A FEW IDEAS.
YOU CAN'T MEAN... LOVOF HIMSELF?
...!
ALL OF THESE DECISIONS MUST BE MINE ALONE.
PLEASE DON'T ASK ME ANY MORE THAN THAT.
SIR.


ERWIN...
YOU'RE PLANNING TO USE SOME SHADY METHOD TO FORCE LOVOF TO CHANGE HIS POSITION, AREN'T YOU?


...
...EVEN IF IT IS FOR THE SAKE OF THE EXPEDITIONS BEYOND THE WALLS, FOR A YOUNG MAN LIKE YOU TO...
THE PALACE IS A BED OF VIPERS. DO YOU HAVE A WAY TO GET OUT IN ONE PIECE?
TAK!!
SIR.

WHEN I ENTERED THE SURVEY CORPS AND FOUGHT THE TITANS FACE-TO-FACE...
...I LEARNED EXACTLY HOW PERILOUS HUMANITY'S SITUATION REALLY IS.

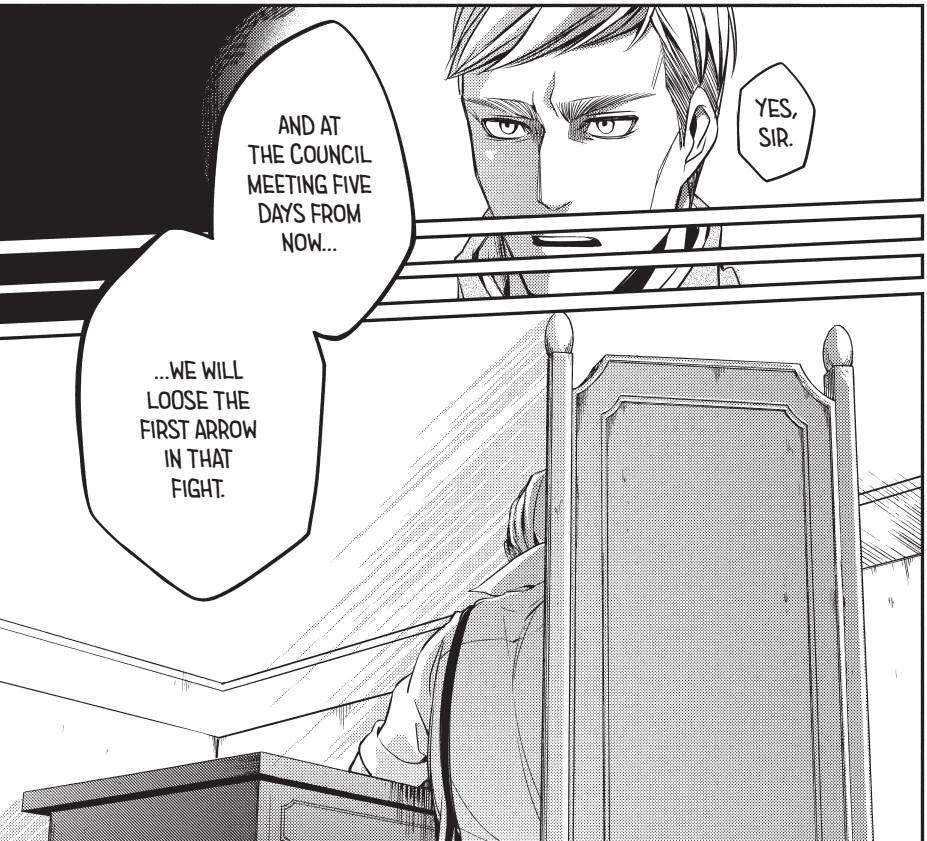

WEALTH...
AUTHORITY...
LOFTY IDEALS...

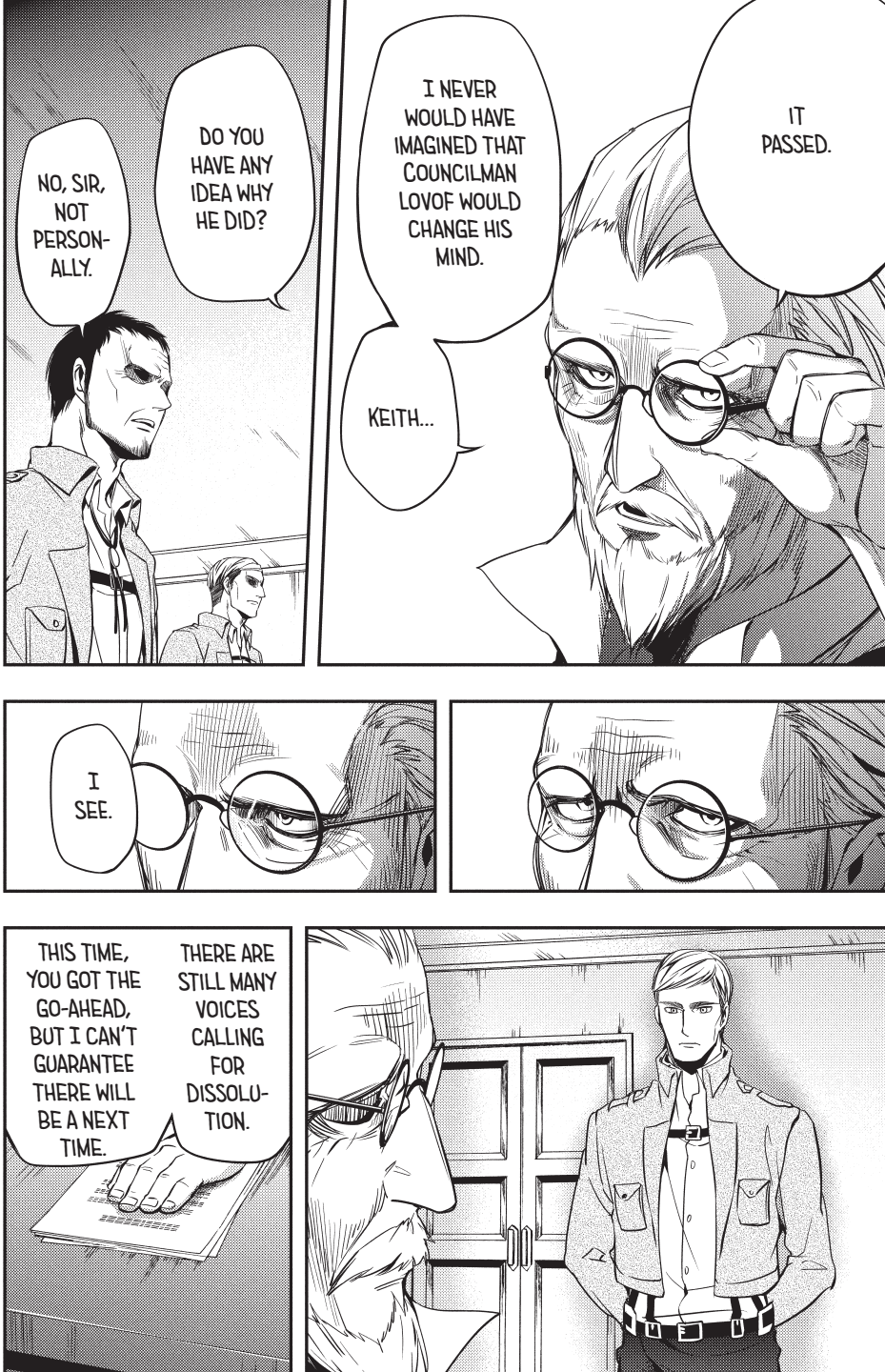

IF THE TITANS MAKE IT INSIDE THE WALLS, ALL OF THEM WILL DISAPPEAR IN AN INSTANT.

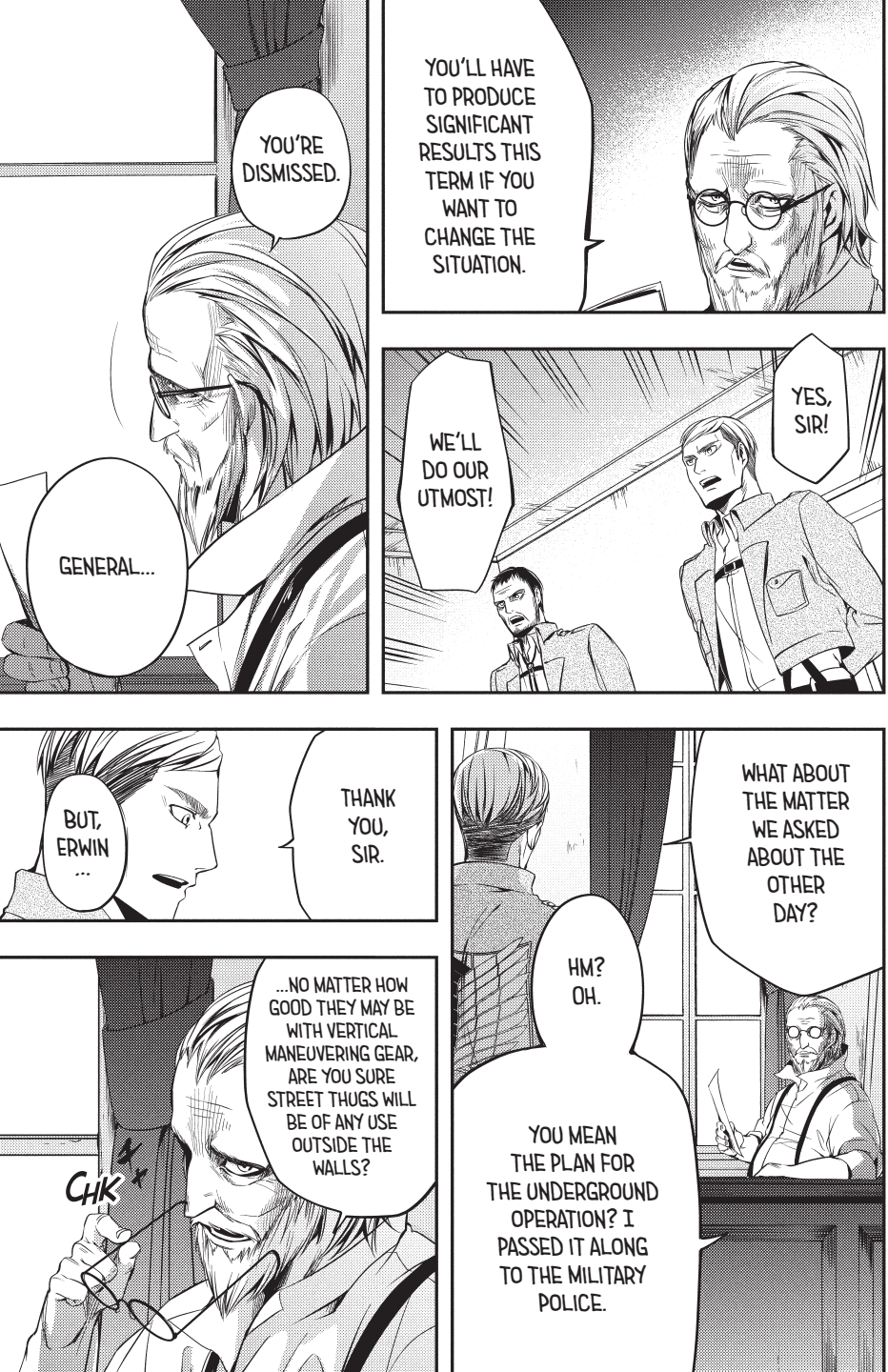
AND THAT...
...IS WHY...
GRIP
...NO MATTER WHAT FOUL MEANS WE MUST USE...
...WE CAN NEVER ABANDON OUR EFFORTS TO TAKE THIS WORLD BACK FROM THE TITANS!

...COME WHAT MAY!
GRIP
I KNEW HE WAS CAPABLE OF USING EVEN ME AS A PAWN, BUT...
THIS MAN ...
...BUT NOW I SEE HE REALLY IS USING THAT FRIGHTENING RESOURCEFULNESS FOR THE SAKE OF HUMANITY...
...VERY WELL.

NO MATTER WHAT, WE MUST HOLD ONTO OUR HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.
I WILL LEAVE IT ALL TO YOU.

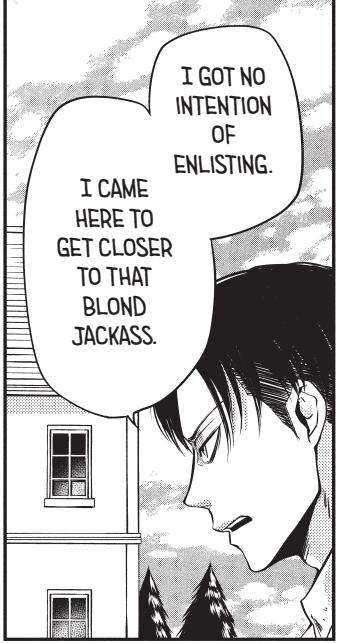

AND AT THE COUNCIL MEETING FIVE DAYS FROM NOW...
...WE WILL LOOSE THE FIRST ARROW IN THAT FIGHT.
YES, SIR.


NO, SIR, NOT PERSON-ALLY.
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHY HE DID?
KEITH...
I NEVER WOULD HAVE IMAGINED THAT COUNCILMAN LOVOF WOULD CHANGE HIS MIND.
IT PASSED.
I SEE.
THIS TIME, YOU GOT THE GO-AHEAD, BUT I CAN'T GUARANTEE THERE WILL BE A NEXT TIME.
THERE ARE STILL MANY VOICES CALLING FOR DISSOLU-TION.


YOU'LL HAVE TO PRODUCE SIGNIFICANT RESULTS THIS TERM IF YOU WANT TO CHANGE THE SITUATION.
YOU'RE DISMISSED.
GENERAL...
YES, SIR!
WE'LL DO OUR UTMOST!
THANK YOU, SIR.
BUT, ERWIN ...
WHAT ABOUT THE MATTER WE ASKED ABOUT THE OTHER DAY?
HM? OH.
YOU MEAN THE PLAN FOR THE UNDERGROUND OPERATION? I PASSED IT ALONG TO THE MILITARY POLICE.
...NO MATTER HOW GOOD THEY MAY BE WITH VERTICAL MANEUVERING GEAR, ARE YOU SURE STREET THUGS WILL BE OF ANY USE OUTSIDE THE WALLS?
CHK

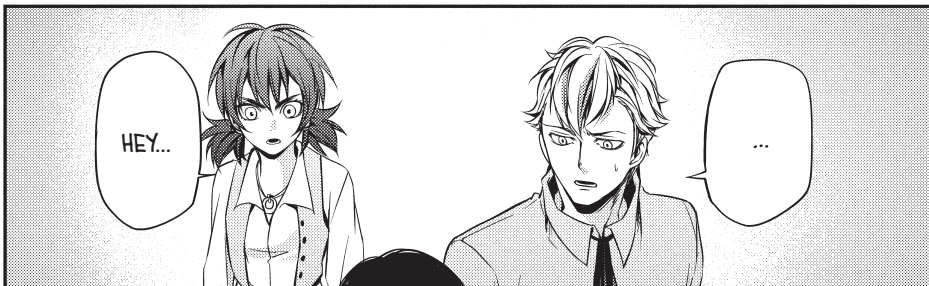
SIR...
I HAPPENED TO SEE THEM WITH MY OWN EYES RECENTLY...
SQUIK SQUIK
...AND I BELIEVE THEIR SKILLS CANNOT BE OVER-ESTIMATED.
THE MAN WHO SEEMS TO BE THEIR LEADER, IN PARTICULAR, IS ON A LEVEL BEYOND THAT OF EVEN A SURVEY CORPS VETERAN.
CHK
IS THAT SO?
RE-MARK-ABLE.
I INTEND TO MAKE USE OF ANYONE WHO HAS EVEN THE SMALLEST POTENTIAL DURING THIS EXPEDITON.
BUT FIRST...

...WHILE I'M CLOSE BY, I PLAN TO MAKE CONTACT.
I HAVE TO GET YOU PROCESSED. DON'T MOVE.
SURVEY CORPS HEAD-QUAR-TERS
LEVI...


I GOT NO INTENTION OF ENLISTING.
I CAME HERE TO GET CLOSER TO THAT BLOND JACKASS.

ENTERING THE SURVEY CORPS...
DOESN'T THAT MEAN...?

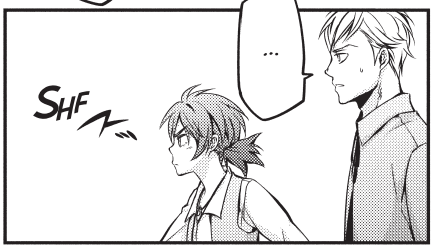
...AND THEN I'LL KILL THAT RAT BASTARD.
I'LL WAIT FOR AN OPENING...


HEY...
...

IT'D BE POINTLESS TO KILL ERWIN NOW. THIS IS OUR BIG CHANCE.
THERE'S NO WAY THEY'LL EVER MAKE CONTACT WITH US AGAIN.
DON'T YOU REMEMBER MY PLAN?
IF YOU'RE STILL LOST, LET ME REFRESH YOUR MEMORY.
TRUST ME, LEVI.
I **KNOW** IT'LL WORK.

CLOK
LEVI!

YOU THREE! THIS WAY.
!


...
SHF

I MEAN IT.
ONE DAY, WE'LL GET OUTTA THIS TRASH HEAP AND LIVE **UP ABOVE.**

WHEN WE GET INTO THE SURVEY CORPS...
CREAK
...BUT WITH YOU HERE WE'LL REALLY BE ABLE TO RAISE HELL.
SO FAR, NOTHING'S GONE ACCORDING TO PLAN...
HEY!
WOBBLE
WHAT HAPPENED?
...
ISABEL?

...!!
TWITCH
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR HAIR?
NOTHING.
DON'T TELL ME... YOU WENT TO SEE THOSE LOW-LIFE SCUMBAGS AGAIN?
SHUT UP!! I JUST TRIPPED !!
WHAM
-BACK !!
GROW-
IT'LL-
WHAM
WHAM
...
SLAM

...
NGH-
I'LL... KILL YOU!
NNNH... I'LL...
...KILL YOU!
KRIK
SNIFF...
ALL THEY CAN THINK ABOUT IS DRAGGING EVERYONE ELSE DOWN TO WHERE THEY ARE...
THEY'VE BOTH GONE MAD...
HNGH...
...KILL...

NNGH...
THIS IS A BOTTOMLESS PIT... THAT'S WHY I—
...KILL YOU ALL...
CREAK
LEVI...

DID YOU KILL THEM...?
FWAP
...
IT'S BEAUTIFUL.
THIS IS OUR CHANCE. TRUST ME.

YOU TWO ARE SO LOUD, I'D BE TOO IRRITATED TO GET ANY KILLING DONE.
I THOUGHT YOU'D BEEN SNEAKING OFF ALONE...
HOW COULD YOU KEEP ALL THIS TO YOURSELF?
HEH HEH!
...
MAYBE...
IS IT AS PRETTY AS WHERE YOU USED TO LIVE, LEVI?
APPARENTLY.
SO IS IT TRUE THAT THE STARS REALLY SPIN ROUND AND ROUND?

IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I'VE LOOKED UP LIKE THIS.

I'VE DECIDED I WON'T KILL HIM FOR NOW.
FURLAN.
I'M GOING TO TRUST YOU.

HIC
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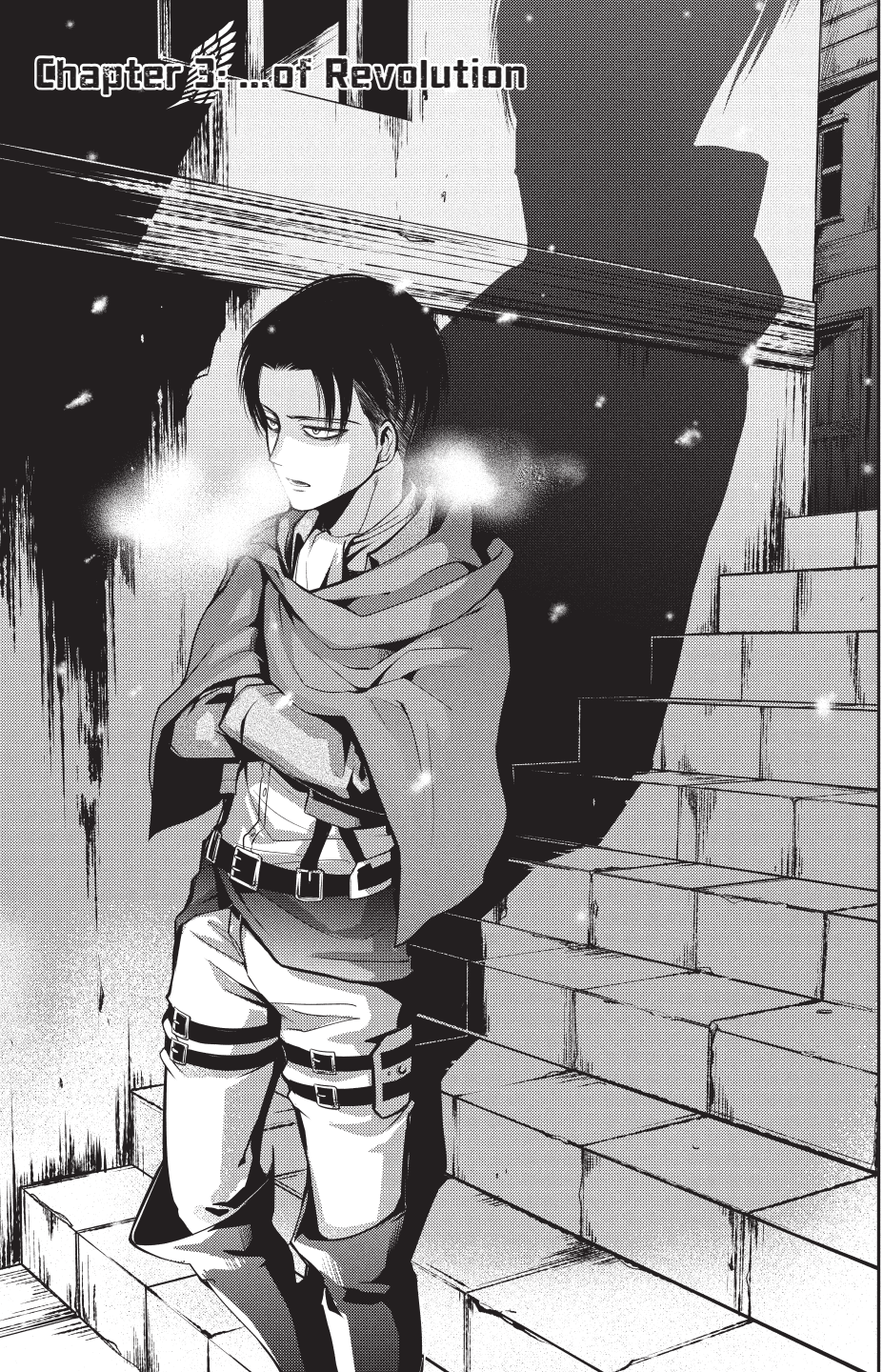
YEAH! AH'LL TRUST YAH, TOO!!
ISABEL ...
ATTEN-
TIOOON!!

ATTACK
ON TITAN
NO REGRETS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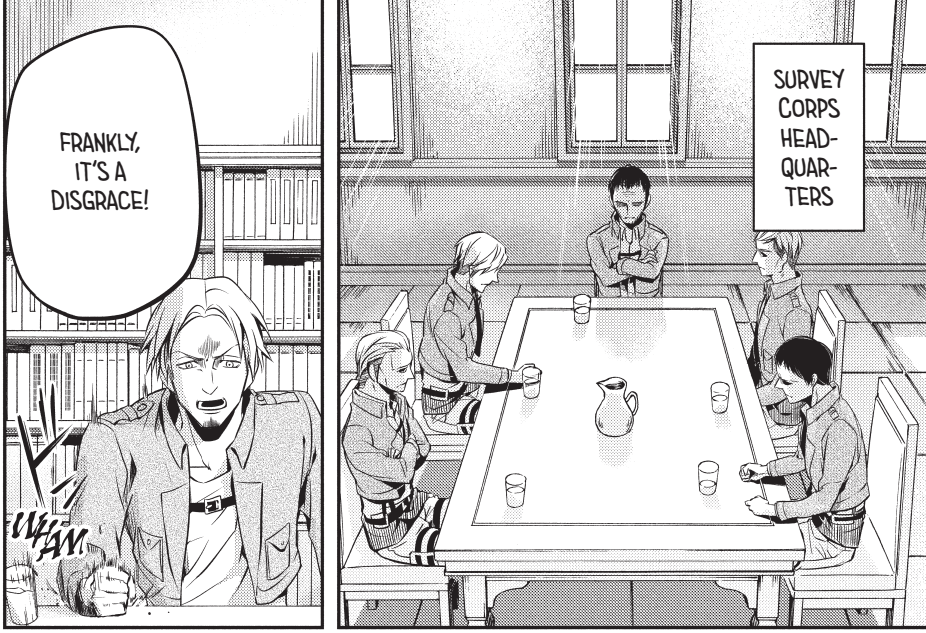
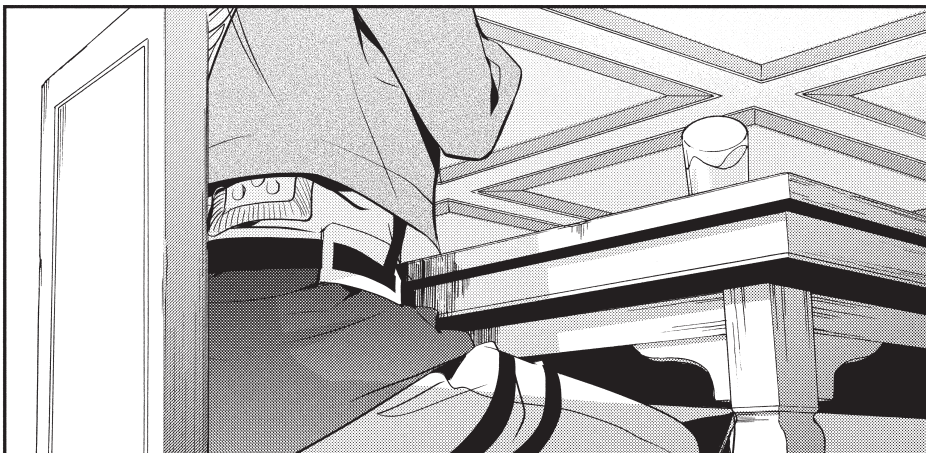

FRANKLY, IT'S A DISGRACE!
WHAM!
SURVEY CORPS HEAD-QUAR-TERS

YET YOU'RE ASKING US TO ACCEPT **CRIMINALS** INTO OUR RANKS?!
WE ALL HAD TO GO THROUGH THE SAME TRAINING!



WHAT SHOULD I TELL MY SUBORDI-NATES?
THEIR PRESENCE COULD EVEN PUT OUR LIVES IN DANGER!
YOUR COMPLAINT IS ONLY NATURAL.
THEY DID NOT EARN WINGS FROM US. THEY GREW THEIR OWN, OUT OF NECESSITY.
YOU'RE RIGHT. THESE PEOPLE HAD NO TRAINING.
SQUAD LEADER FLAGON.
AND I BELIEVE THOSE WINGS WILL PLAY A PART IN REVOLUTIONIZING THIS ORGANIZATION.
...THE GREATEST OF THEIR CRIMES.
I JUST PRAY THAT VENTURING OUTSIDE THE WALLS DOESN'T BECOME...
YOU SPEAK OF REVOLUTION?

SHAK
ATTENTION!
I'M HERE TO PRESENT THREE RECRUITS WHO WILL BE FIGHTING ALONGSIDE YOU.
NOW, YOU THREE...
...INTRODUCE YOURSELVES.

...
NAME'S LEVI.

WHAP
...SIR.
I'M FURLAN CHURCH.
JAB
ISABEL MAGNOLIA. NICE TO MEET ALL O' YA!
...
...
Y-YOU'RE PUTTING THEM ON MY SQUAD?
TAKE GOOD CARE OF THEM, FLAGON!
THEY WILL BE ASSIGNED TO FLAGON'S SQUAD.
...

I WILL BE ASSIGNING ERWIN TO SUPPORT EXPEDITION COMMAND IN MAINTAINING THE NEW FORMATION OUTSIDE THE WALL.
N-NO! I JUST THOUGHT SURELY THEY'D BE PLACED UNDER SQUAD LEADER ERWIN...
IS THAT A PROBLEM?
YES, SIR! I UNDER-STAND, SIR!
UNDER-STOOD?
BECAUSE OF THAT, HE WILL HAVE NO TIME TO LOOK AFTER NEW SOLDIERS.
THOSE WHO HAVE ANYTHING TO REPORT—
NOW, ALL SQUADS—
THAT'S ALL!

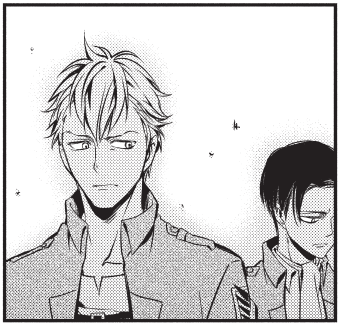
SWEET! SO WE ALL GET TO SLEEP IN THE SAME ROOM?!
THERE'S A QUITE A FEW, HUH...
KURK ガチャ
THIS IS THE MILITARY BARRACKS.
FURLAN, HOW COULD YOU?!
...
I DIDN'T MAKE THE RULES!
I WANNA STAY HERE, TOO!!
AWWW!
THAT'S ENOUGH, ISABEL !
THE WOMEN'S BARRACKS ARE SEPARATE.
TAK TAK TAK TAK
...
THIS BUNK'S FOR YOU TWO.

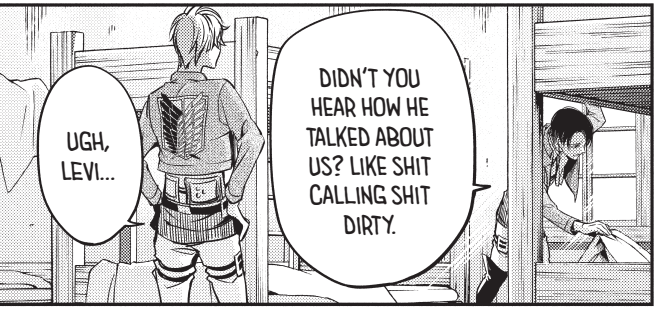
SHF
FLUTTER
STARE
?
FLUTTER FLUTTER
...
WHAT?
BUT TRY TO KEEP THIS PLACE CLEAN.
I KNOW YOU'VE SPENT YOUR WHOLE LIVES LIVING IN A TRASH HEAP...

HEY!
DON'T TAKE THAT TONE WITH YOUR SUPERIOR OFFICER, YOU LITTLE PUNK!
WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY?
RIGHT?
WHOOSH
AAANY-WAY!
DON'T WORRY, MR. SQUAD LEADER, SIR! WE'LL KEEP IT CLEAN!!
WHAP
...
WHEN YOU'RE DONE UNPACKING, COME TO THE TRAINING YARD.
CHURCH'LL BEAT YOU INTO SHAPE, STARTING WITH A PROPER SALUTE.
...TSK.

WHP
LEVI...
DIDN'T I TELL YOU NOT TO CAUSE TROUBLE?!

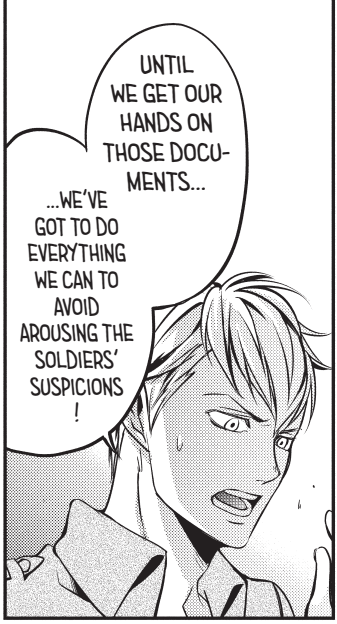
SLAM
KEH HEH



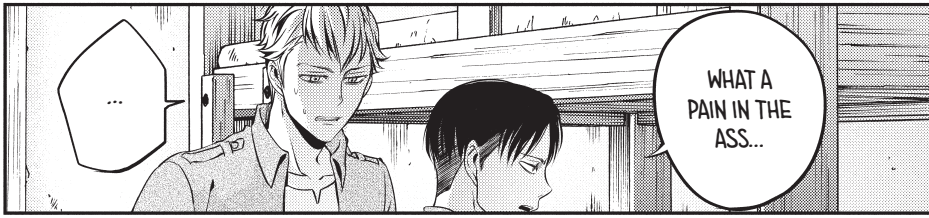

UGH, LEVI...
DIDN'T YOU HEAR HOW HE TALKED ABOUT US? LIKE SHIT CALLING SHIT DIRTY.

THEY'LL ONLY TREAT YOU WITH COURTESY IF YOU ACT DULL, JUST LIKE THEM.
HMPH.

MILITARY HAZING IS ALWAYS VICIOUS. IF YOU DRAW ATTENTION OVER SOMETHING LIKE THIS...


UNTIL WE GET OUR HANDS ON THOSE DOCUMENTS...
...WE'VE GOT TO DO EVERYTHING WE CAN TO AVOID AROUSING THE SOLDIERS' SUSPICIONS!

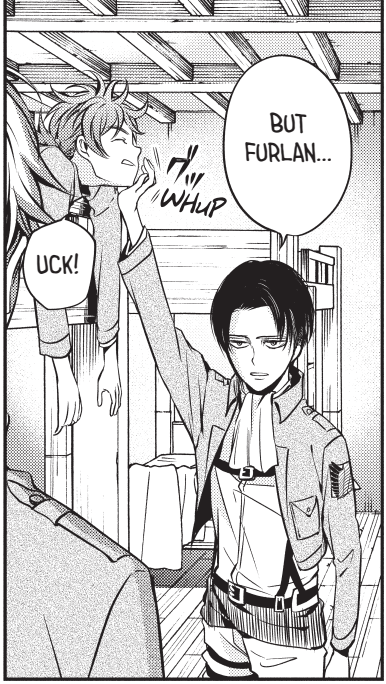
GIVE IT A REST.
YOU HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN WHY WE'RE HERE, HAVE YOU?
IN THAT CASE-
I REMEMBER.


...
WHAT A PAIN IN THE ASS...

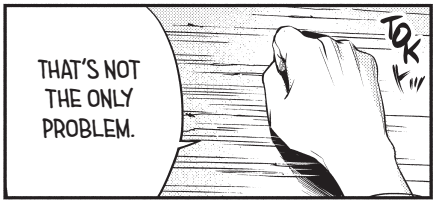
QUIET.
IDIOTS SHOULD BE SEEN, NOT HEARD.

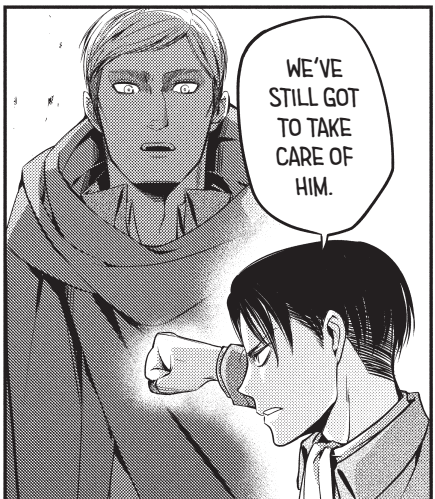
WE CAN JUST BEAT THE STUFFIN' OUTTA ALL OF 'EM, LIKE WE DO UNDERGROUND!
STOP BOTHERING LEVI, FURLAN!!
FWP

UH.
UM... TAKE EIGHT PLUS TWO, CARRY THE...
FINE. WHAT'S EIGHTEEN PLUS TWENTY-TWO?
SNAP
HEY!!
WHO YOU CALLIN' IDIOT ?!
OW!
IT'S FORTY, IDIOT.
コッ KNOK
RUB
YOU'RE SUCH A PAIN IN THE ASS, IDIOT.
SNIF
LEVI! NOT YOU TOO!


BUT FURLAN...
WHUP
UCK!

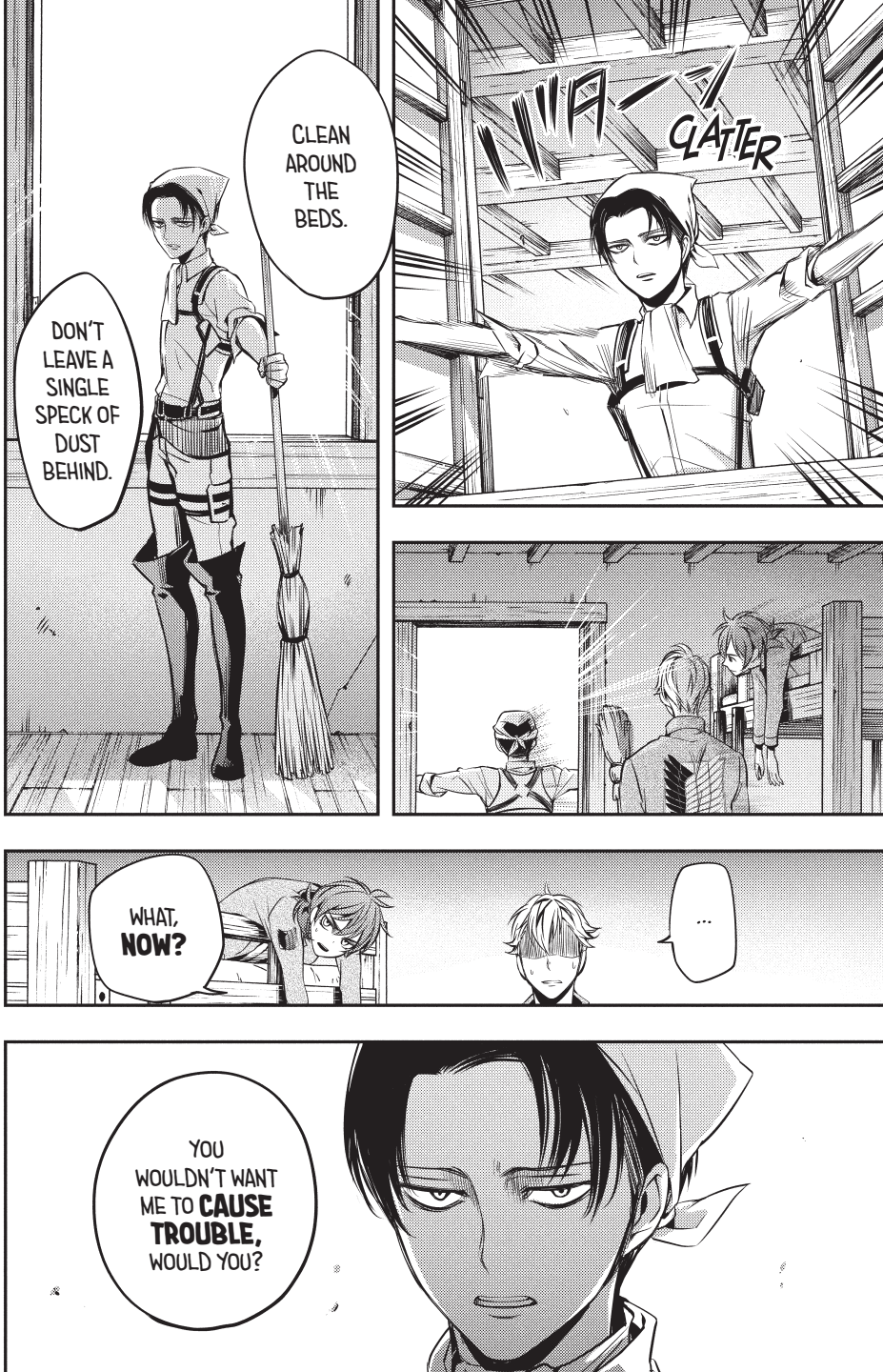
YOU DON'T NEED T'KNOW HOW TO ADD TO GO ON LIVIN' ANYWAY...
LET FURLAN TRY TO LIVE ON NUMBERS INSTEAD OF FOOD AND SEE WHERE IT GETS HIM!
RUB
RUB


THAT'S NOT THE ONLY PROBLEM.
TOK


WE'VE STILL GOT TO TAKE CARE OF HIM.

AT LEAST GIVE ME A SMALL MARGIN OF ERROR.
DIDN'T YOUR PLAN CALL FOR US TO JOIN BLONDIE'S SQUAD?
WE MADE IT INTO THE SURVEY CORPS. AS LONG AS WE FIND IT BEFORE THE EXPEDITION OUTSIDE THE WALL...

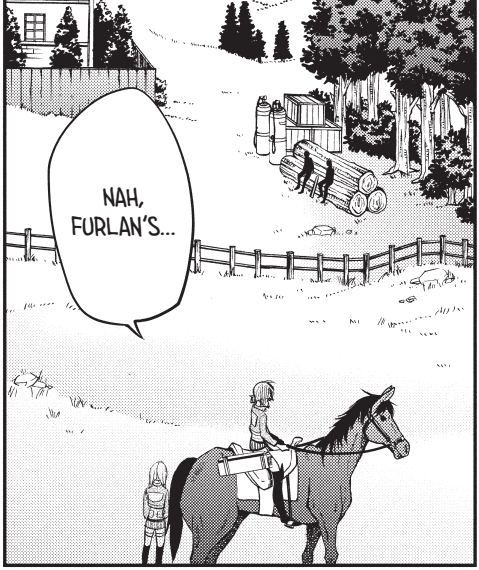
I UNDER-
STAND HOW
YOU FEEL,
BUT
THAT'S...
FURLAN.
I'LL
GO ALONG
WITH YOUR
PLAN...
...BUT
I WILL
KILL
HIM.
...
...FINE.
BUT...
GLANCE
...BEFORE
THAT...

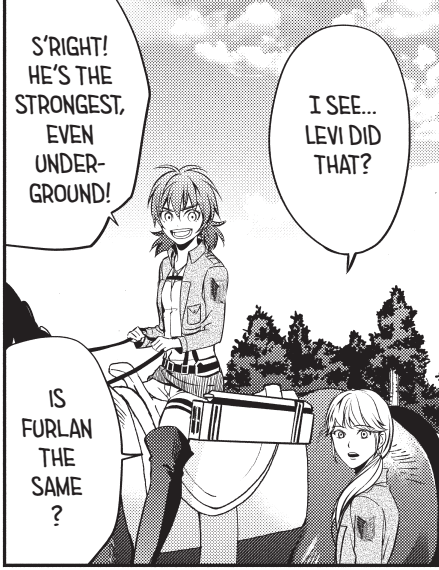

CLEAN AROUND THE BEDS.
DON'T LEAVE A SINGLE SPECK OF DUST BEHIND.
CLATTER
WHAT, NOW?
...
YOU WOULDN'T WANT ME TO CAUSE TROUBLE, WOULD YOU?

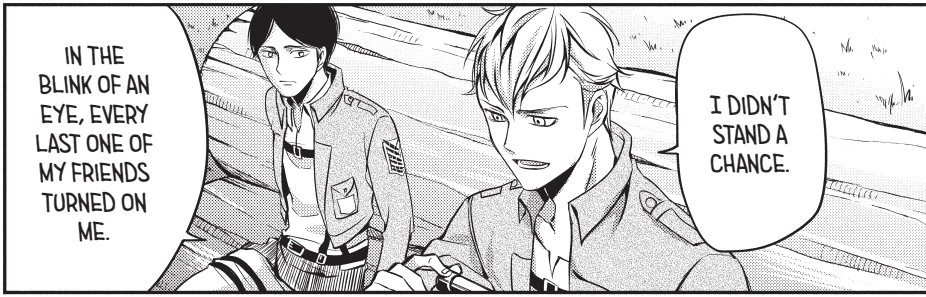
HYAH!
TUG
WHIP
CLOP
CLOP
WOO !!
TAK
PSHT

WELL, WELL.
TAP
HEH HEH!
SPIN
TOK
C'MERE, YOU!
WHAP
AND-
WHINNY
-WHOA!!

NAH, LIVING IN THE UNDERGROUND I'VE GOTTEN GOOD WITH ANIMALS.
THE ONES I HAVE TROUBLE WITH'RE PEOPLE!
PAT PAT
BFFT
HOW'S THAT?
...
TAK TAK TAK
I'M SHOCKED ...
I DIDN'T THINK SHE'D GET USED TO YOU SO QUICKLY.
phew...
YEAH, I GUESS.
...
...BUT IT MUST'VE BEEN HARD ON YOU, LIVING DOWN THERE, RIGHT?
... THE HIGHER-UPS AND THE OTHER SOLDIERS ALL PUT YOU DOWN BECAUSE YOU'RE FROM THE UNDER-GROUND...
I WAS BORN AND RAISED UNDERGROUND, SO FOR ME LIVIN' IN A TRASH HEAP WAS NORMAL.
IT GOT SO I THOUGHT I WAS GONNA DIE. BUT LIFE'S A LITTLE BETTER SINCE LEVI SAVED ME FROM THAT.

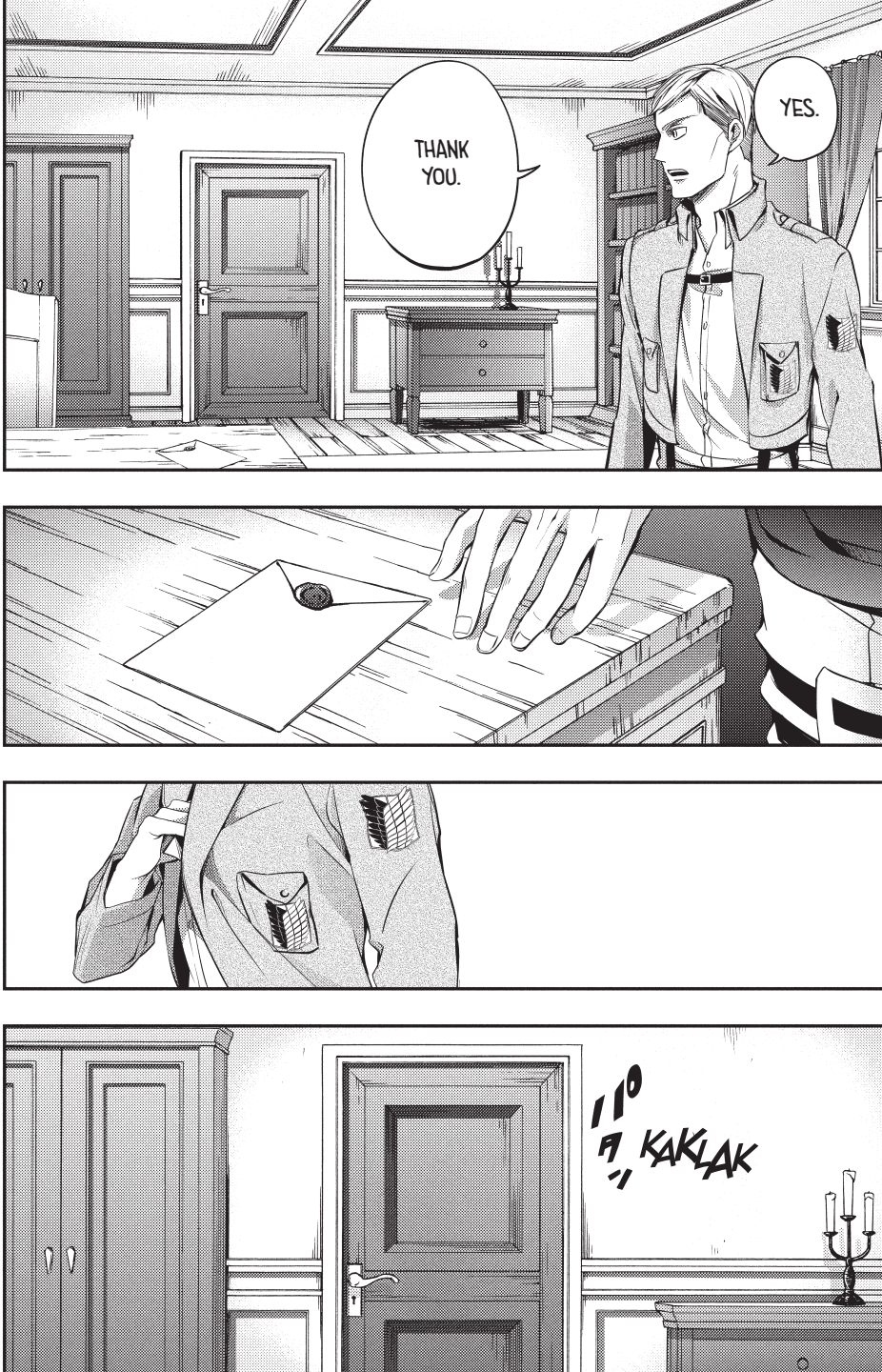

NAH, FURLAN'S...


S'RIGHT! HE'S THE STRONGEST, EVEN UNDER-GROUND!
I SEE... LEVI DID THAT?
IS FURLAN THE SAME?


IN THE BLINK OF AN EYE, EVERY LAST ONE OF MY FRIENDS TURNED ON ME.
I DIDN'T STAND A CHANCE.

SINCE THEN, I'VE ALWAYS BEEN WITH HIM.
...THOUGH IT MIGHT BE PROBLEMATIC MAKING HIM ANY KIND OF LEADER!

IS HE REALLY SO SKILLED?
LET'S JUST SAY YOU SHOULD STOP TRYING TO PROVOKE HIM.
SQUAD LEADER ERWIN'S WATCHING.
FROM THAT ROOM?
WE'D BETTER NOT CHAT HERE.
OOPS.
ANYWAY, LET'S GET ON WITH YOUR TRAINING.
IF WE PERFORM WELL, WE CAN GET PRIVATE ROOMS, TOO!
SQUAD LEADER, IT'S TIME.


THANK YOU.
YES.
KAKLAK

YOU WANNA DIE THE SECOND YOU STEP OUTSIDE THE WALLS?!
THEY WEREN'T DESIGNED TO BE HELD LIKE THAT!
...
YOU PUNK...
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING, HOLDING IT LIKE THAT?
GRR...
LET ME DO THAT HOWEVER I WANT.
ALL THAT MATTERS IS SLICING THROUGH THE BACK OF THE TITAN'S NECK, RIGHT?
YOU MIGHT END UP THAT WAY...
SHUK
WHUF
WHAT DID YOU SAY?!

WHOOSH
A-!!WHF
CREAK
BSHK

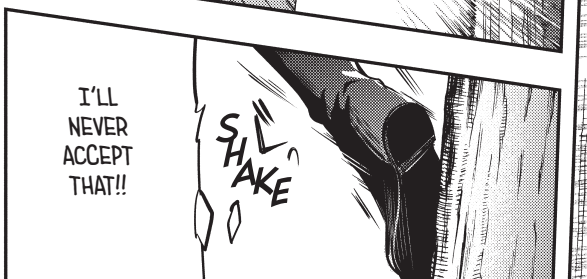
THESE MYSTERIOUS THUGS...
HYO
THESE VAGRANTS WITH NO KNOWLEDGE AS SOLDIERS...
WHUK
WHUK

TSK.

FWAP
DAMN! THAT WAS A LITTLE SHALLOW.

I TRAINED HALF TO DEATH, AND THESE CRIMINALS THINK THEY'RE **BETTER?!**
ARE YOU KIDDING ME?!
GOAAAAAAAR

SHIT.
GOAAAAR


I'LL NEVER ACCEPT THAT!!
SHAKE

!
TAP
FWOOSH
?!
HEY! WATCH OUT!!
...
DON'T GET LEFT BEHIND!
TAK

I SCREWED UP!
KA CHAK
CRACK

BWOOOSH
FWSH
WHAK

...HE DID THAT UNDER-HAND...?
FWOO
...SO FAST ...?
HOW... CAN HE BE...
WHUMP
SNAP
...
TAK
...BUT I KNOW HE WON'T STAY DISCIPLINED FOR LONG.
THERE'S NO QUESTION HIS FIGHTING SEEMS FLAWLESS...

ヒュオオオオオオ
ARE THESE THE WINGS OF REVOLUTION?
AND IF THEY ARE... HOW HARD WILL IT BE TO FLY ON THEM?

IT'LL BE FINE...
...AS LONG AS NOTHING HAPPENS.
CREAK
GLANCE
SHF...
KACLAK

ATTACK
ON TITAN
NO REGRETS

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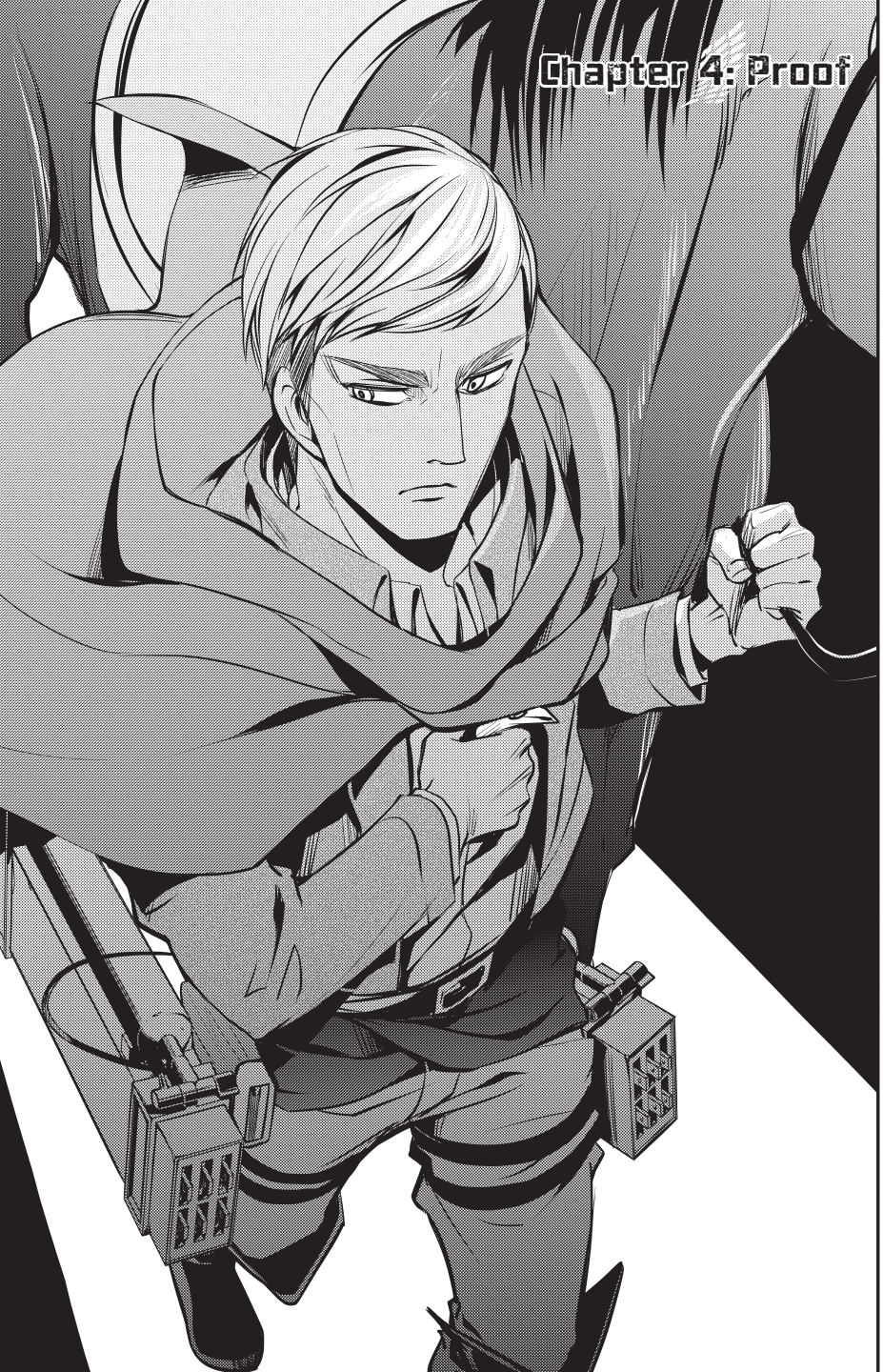
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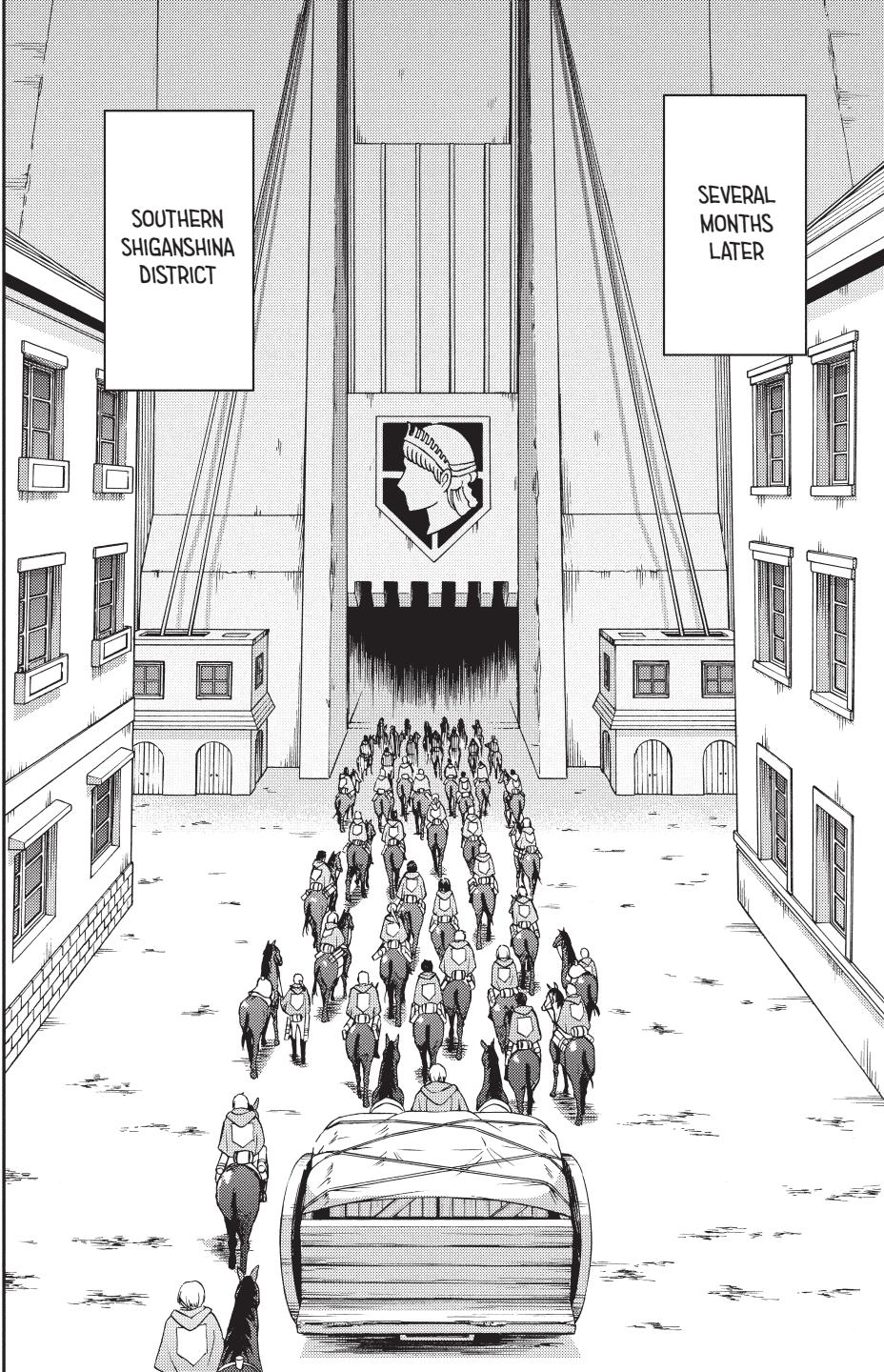
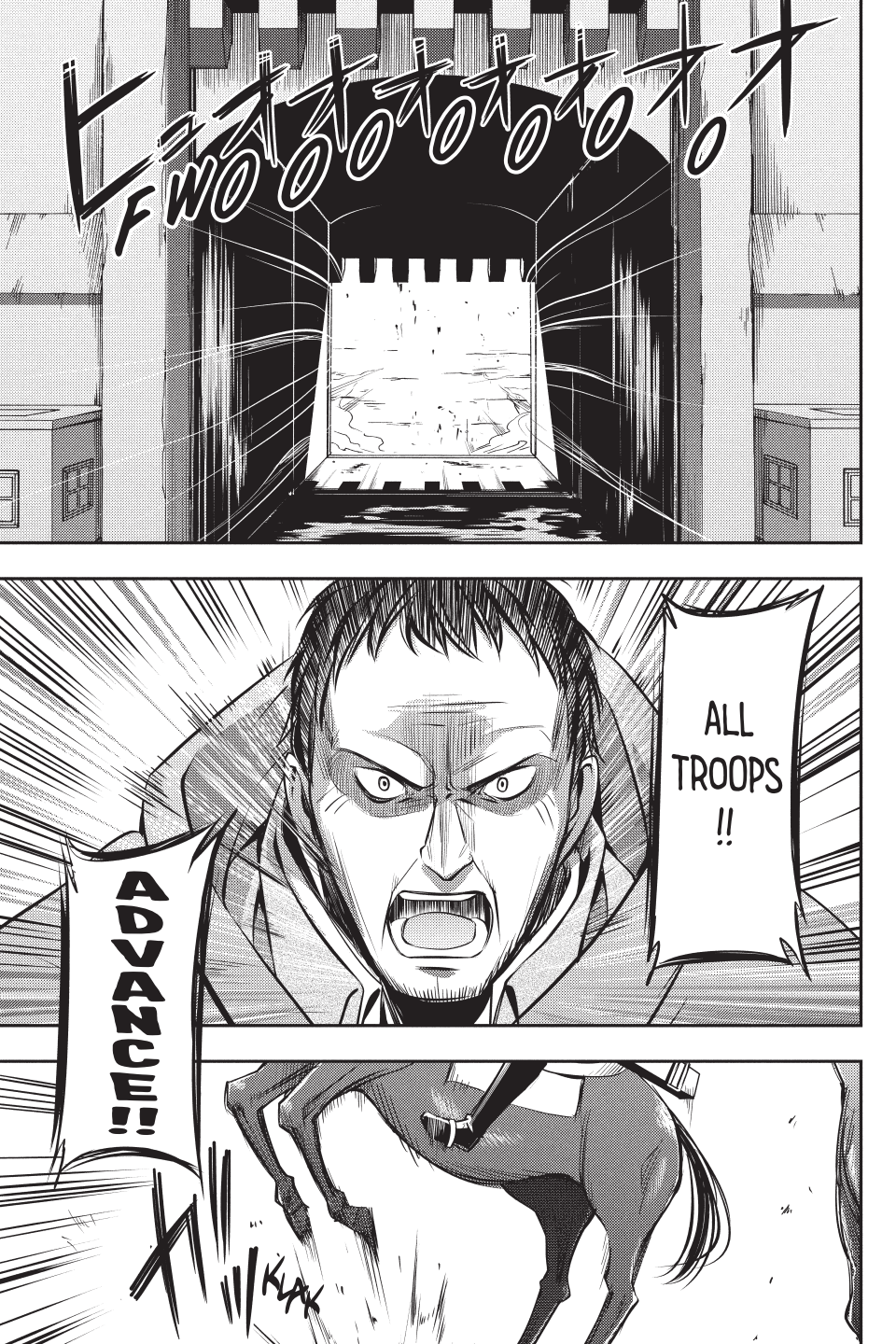

SOUTHERN SHIGANSHINA DISTRICT
SEVERAL MONTHS LATER

OPEN THE GATE !!
KREE
OPEN THE GATE !!
RM
RM
RM
RM
RM

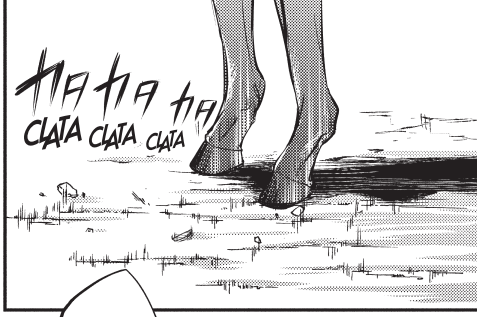
TODAY, WE TAKE ONE MORE STEP FORWARD !!
SHOW ME WHAT YOU LEARNED IN TRAINING!!
MUMBLE
MUMBLE
TEACH THEM THE POWER OF THE HUMAN RACE!!

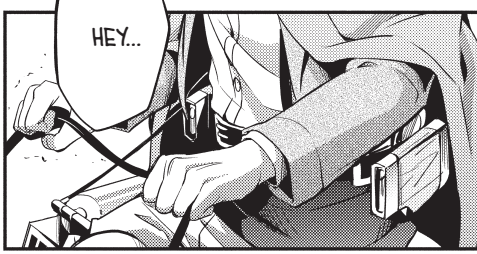

ALL TROOPS !!
ADVANCE!!
KLAK

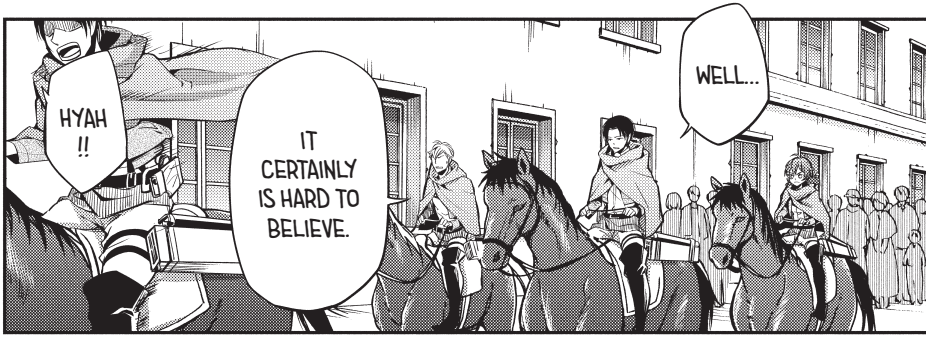
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP

CLOP
CLOP
CLOP

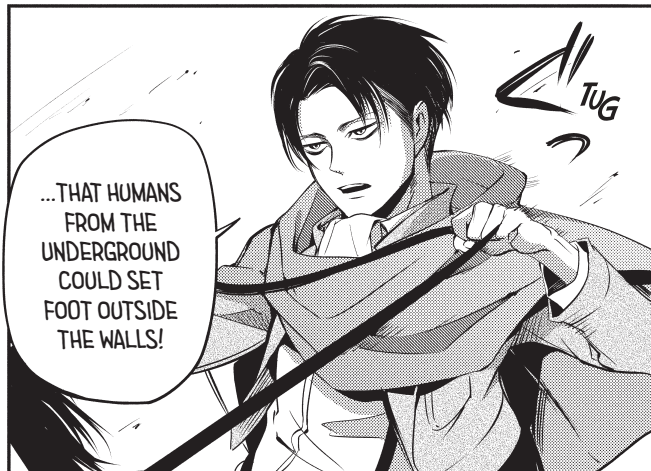
SHUDDER
NOW WOULD BE A GREAT TIME... SOMEONE...
...SOMEONE TELL ME THIS ISN'T HAPPENING!

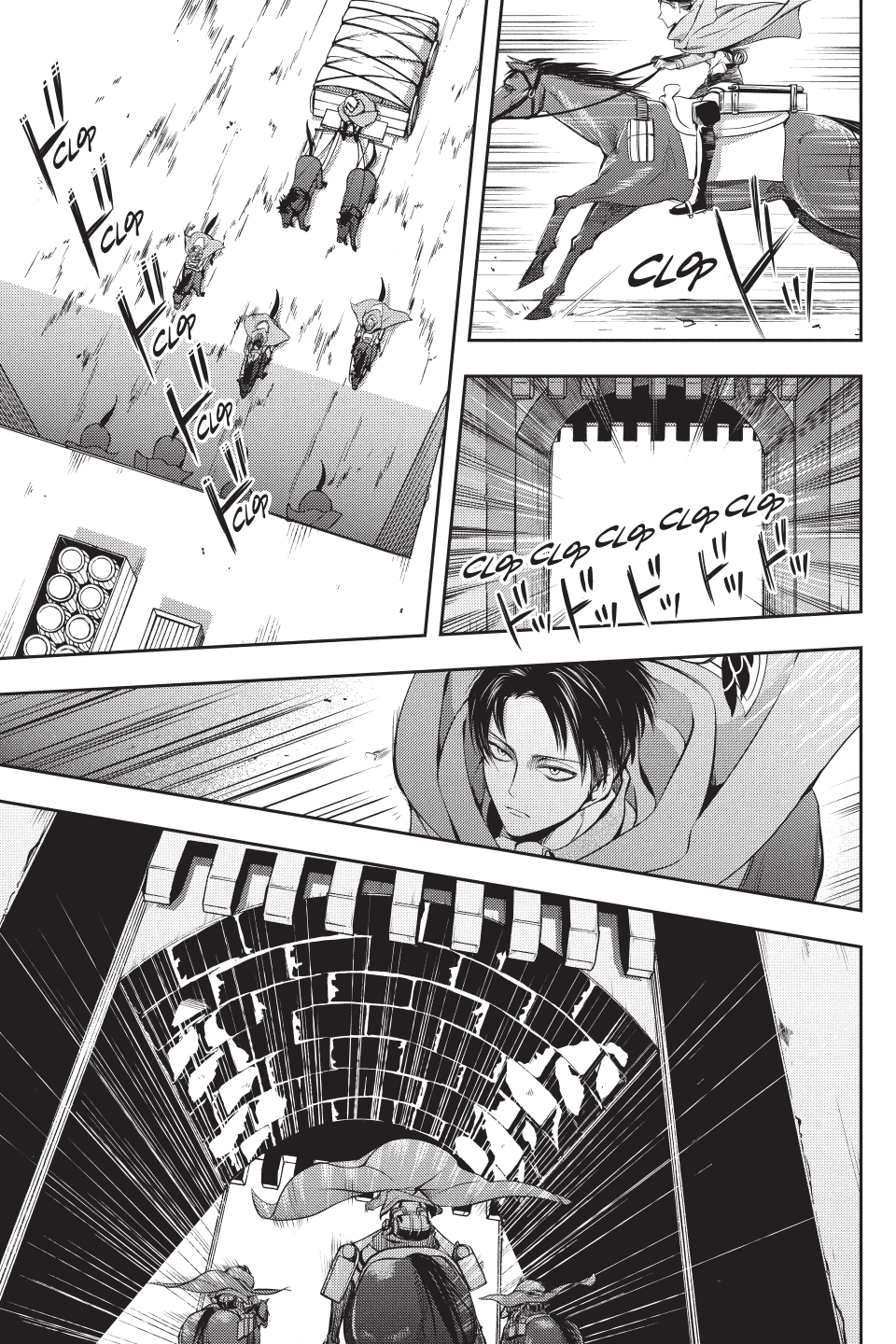

CLATA CLATA CLATA


HEY...


HYAH !!
IT CERTAINLY IS HARD TO BELIEVE.
WELL...

KICK


TUG
...THAT HUMANS FROM THE UNDERGROUND COULD SET FOOT OUTSIDE THE WALLS!


CLOP
CLOP
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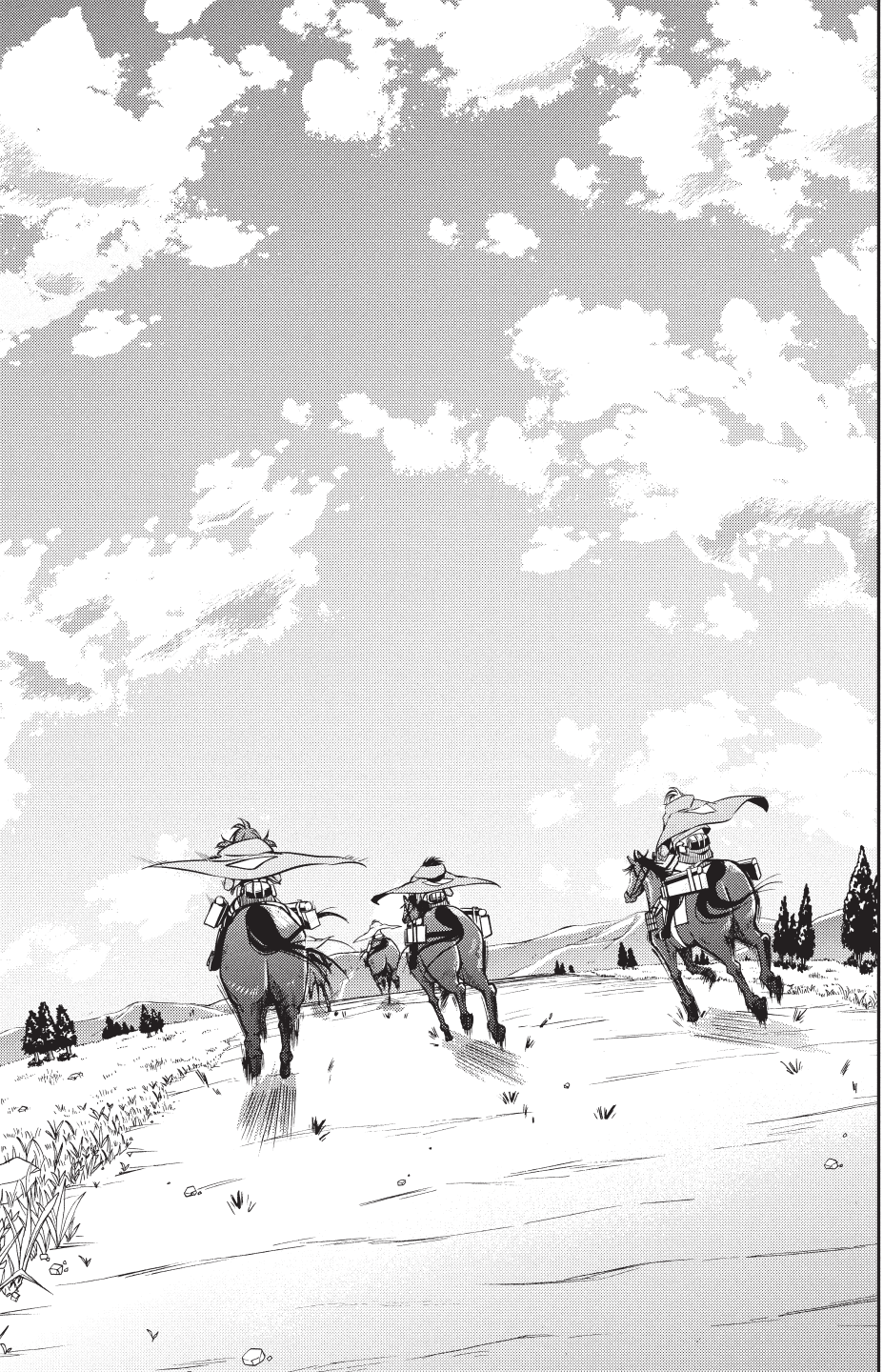


YEAH.
WHOA! AMAZING !!
IT'S NOT BAD.

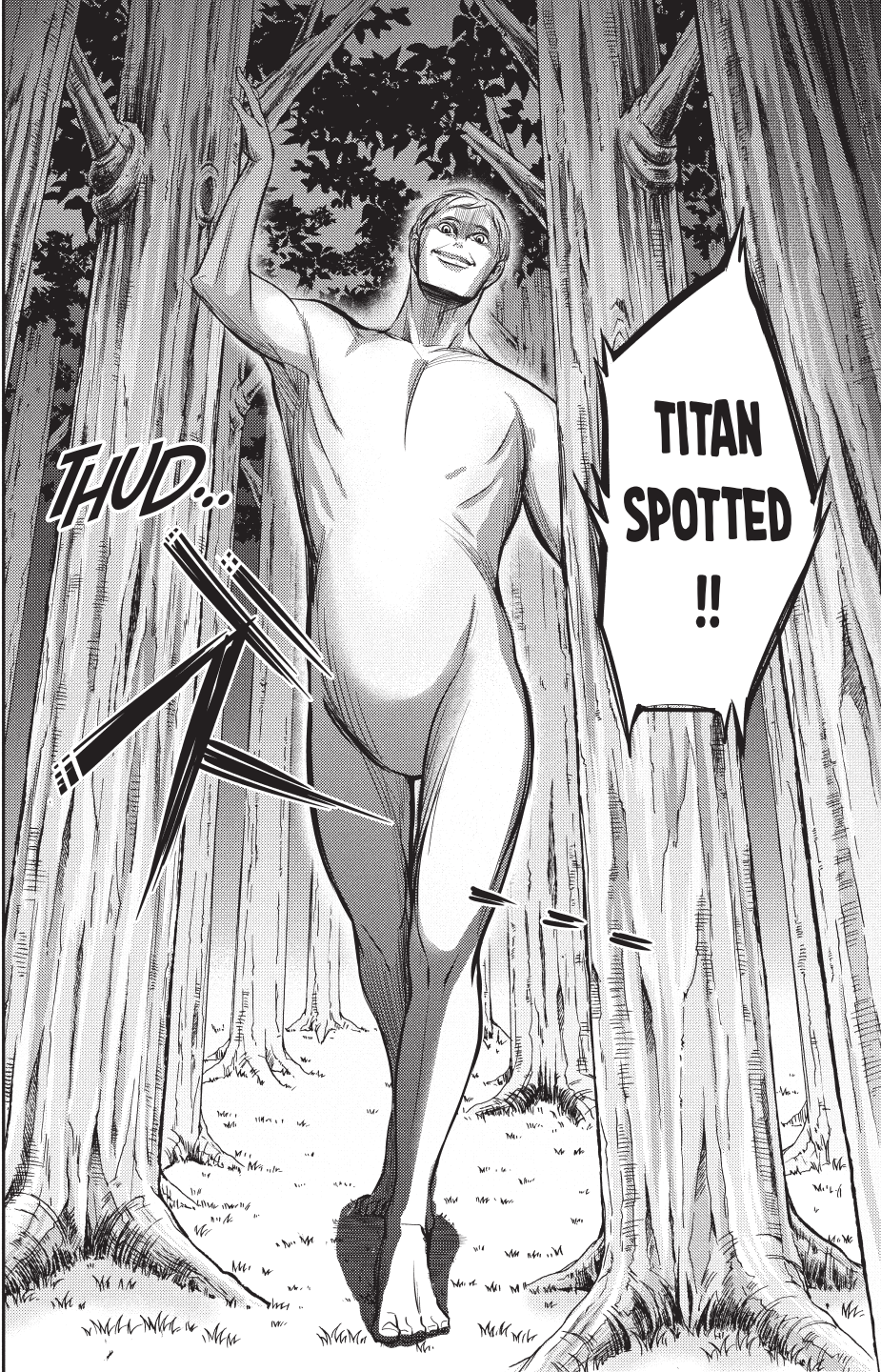
WHERE'S THAT BASTARD ERWIN HIDING...?
IF WE'D FOLLOWED THE PLAN, WE WOULD HAVE GRABBED THEM AND SNUCK AWAY BY NOW!
THIS IS TERRIBLE. I NEVER MEANT TO LEAVE THE WALLS.
SIGH...
CLOP
CLOP
I DON'T CARE HOW GOOD YOU ARE! THESE ARE TITANS!
DON'T WORRY. I'LL DO SOMETHING ABOUT THE TITANS.
HEH HEH HEH! FURLAN, YOU'RE TREMBLIN', AIN'TCHA?
IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T TRUST YOU, BUT...
DON'T YOU TRUST ME?

I'LL TAKE CARE OF THOSE TITANS LICKETY-SPLIT!
CLOP CLOP
SURE! LEAVE IT TO ME, FURLAN!
CLOP CLOP
HEY! SPEAK FOR YOURSELF!
STOP THE CHATTER!
YOU POOR LITTLE...
YOU THINK A FEW PUNKS FROM THE UNDERGROUND HAVE A CHANCE AGAINST THEM?!
HEY.
HOW MANY ELITE SOLDIERS DO YOU THINK HAVE BEEN EATEN BY TITANS?!
THE TITANS AREN'T AS SOFT AS YOU THINK!!

...IF I END UP BEATING THE TITANS, THEN DOESN'T THAT MAKE ALL THEM ELITES **LOWER** THAN PUNKS?
YOU SAY THAT, BUT...
SHF
TUG
WH—
HOW **DARE** YOU?!
YOU LITTLE—
CLOP
!
CLOP
PULL
TSK.

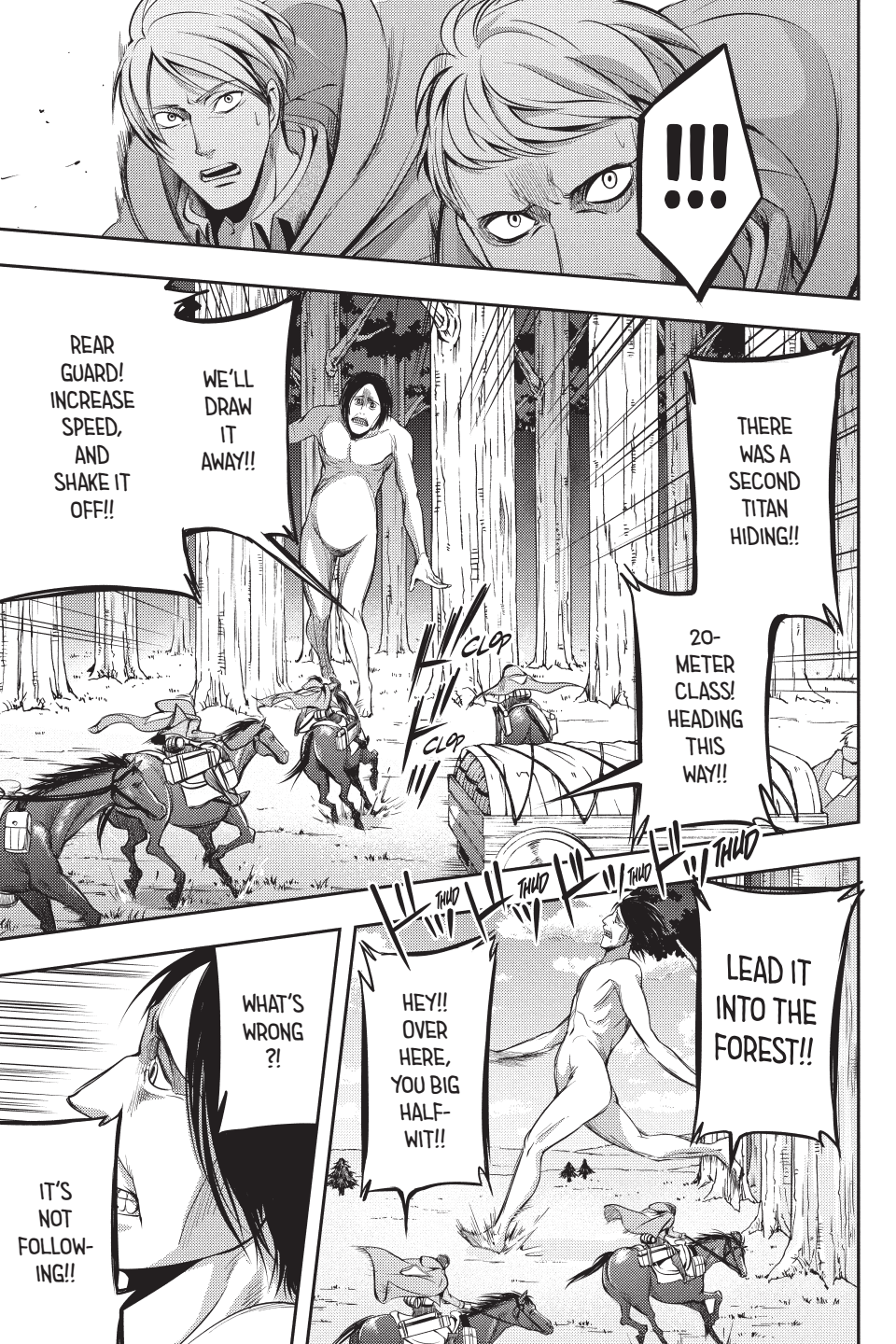
WHAT'RE YOU LOOKIN' AT?!
CLOP-CLOP
!
SAIRAM! CUT IT OUT!
CALM YOURSELF! WE HAVE TO PREPARE TO DRILL THE NEW FORMATION!!
TITANS COULD SHOW UP AT ANY TIME! DON'T DISRUPT THE RANKS!!
BUT... SQUAD LEADER !!

REAL BATTLE'S NOT LIKE TRAINING.
HMPH.
CLOP
NO MATTER HOW STRONG YOU ARE, YOU'RE FIGHTING TITANS.
ANYTHING COULD HAPPEN...
...
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
HE'S RIGHT, LEVI.


THUD..
TITAN SPOTTED !!

AT 10 O'CLOCK!! ONE 15-METER CLASS IN THE FOREST!!
IT'S COMING THIS WAY!!
IT'S CLOSE... WE CAN'T JUST SLIP BY...
THERE'S NO CHOICE! ENGAGE!!
VANGUARD WITH ME!!
THE REST OF THE FORCE, KEEP ADVANCING TO THE SUPPLY POINT!!
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP

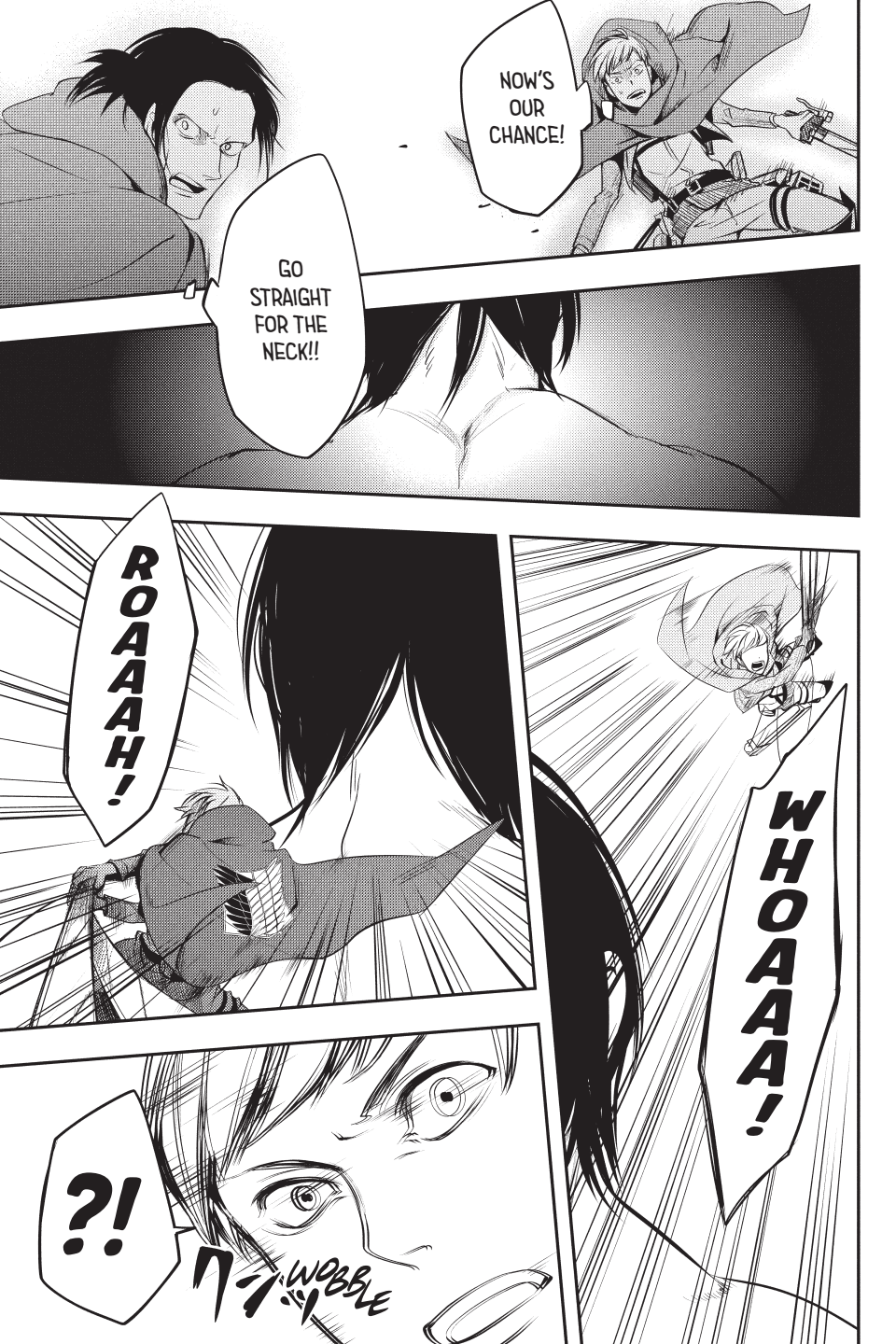
SWITCH TO MANEU-VERING!!
DON'T LET IT OUT OF THE FOREST !!
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP
THUD

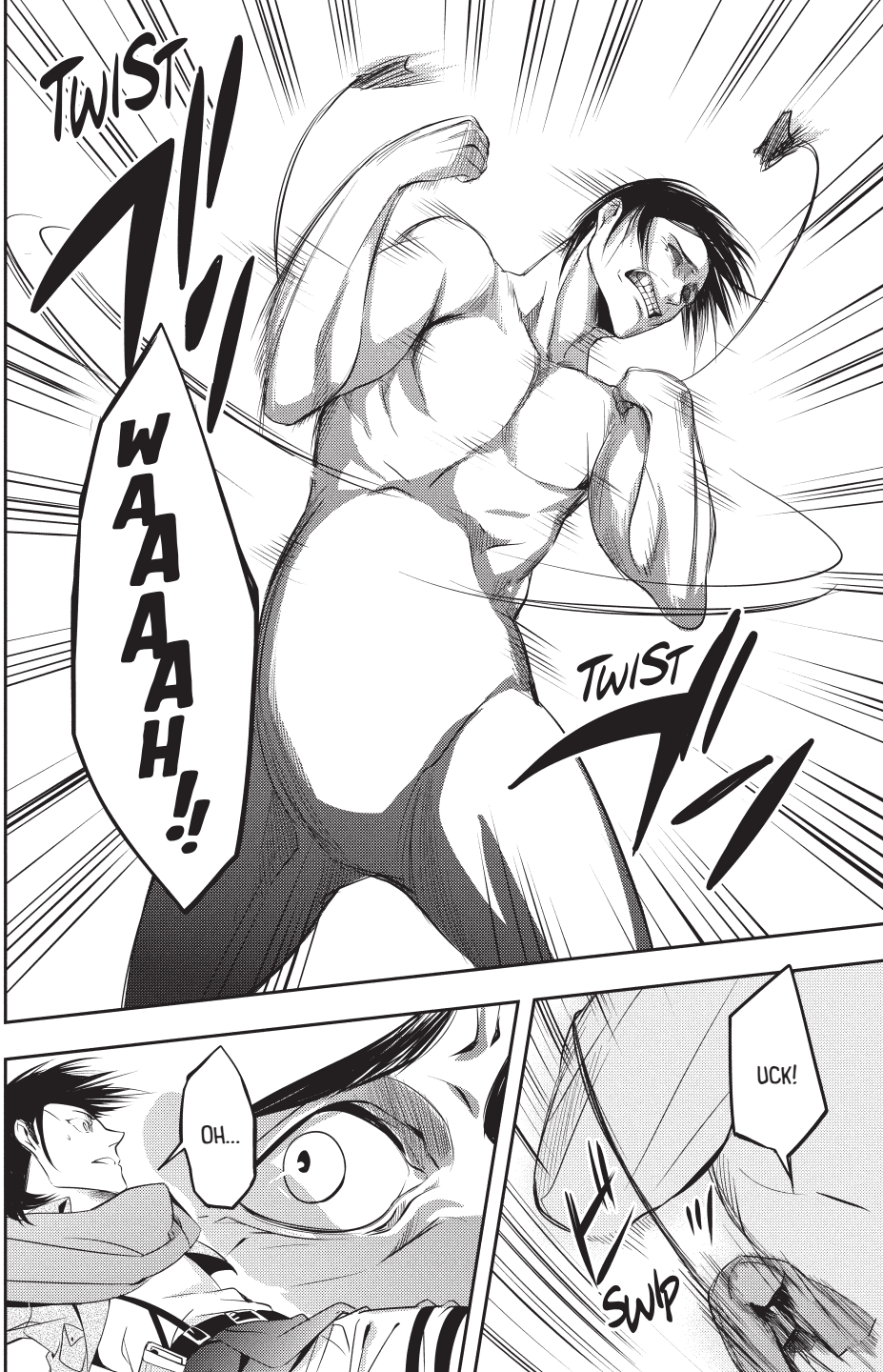

!!!
REAR GUARD! INCREASE SPEED, AND SHAKE IT OFF!!
WE'LL DRAW IT AWAY!!
THERE WAS A SECOND TITAN HIDING!!
20-METER CLASS! HEADING THIS WAY!!
CLOP
CLOP
THUD
THUD
THUD
THUD
LEAD IT INTO THE FOREST!!
HEY!! OVER HERE, YOU BIG HALF-WIT!!
WHAT'S WRONG ?!
IT'S NOT FOLLOW-ING!!

THUD
IT'S AN ABNORMAL !!
GOING YOUR WAY!!
THUD THUD
OH, NO...
THIS ONE'S...
FLAGON'S SQUAD!!
CLOSE DISTANCE AND FIGHT TO THE DEATH!!
CLOP CLOP CLOP
THE WAGONS ARE WIDE OPEN!!
NO GOOD! THE COLUMN'S TOO LONG!!

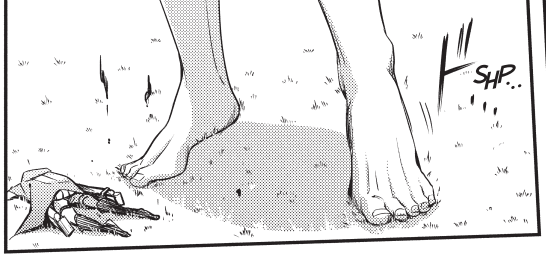
DON'T LET THE TITANS NEAR THE WAGONS !!
SHIT... AN ABNORMAL?! OF ALL THE TIMES TO GET STUCK WITH A SQUAD FULL OF ROOKIES!
FIGHTING ON LEVEL GROUND WILL MAKE THIS TWICE AS DIFFICULT !!
ROOAAH !!
RSHT

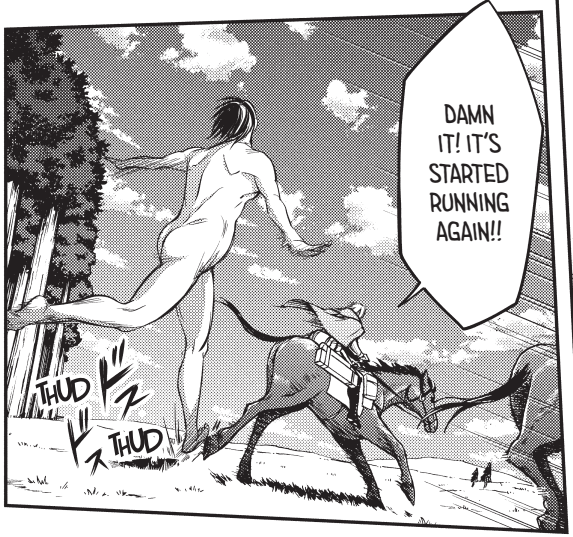
WAAAGH!
GRAB
AAAGH!!
SCRATCH
WHIP
N-
NGAAAH
...
IT
STOPPED
MOVING
!!
CRACK
SNAP

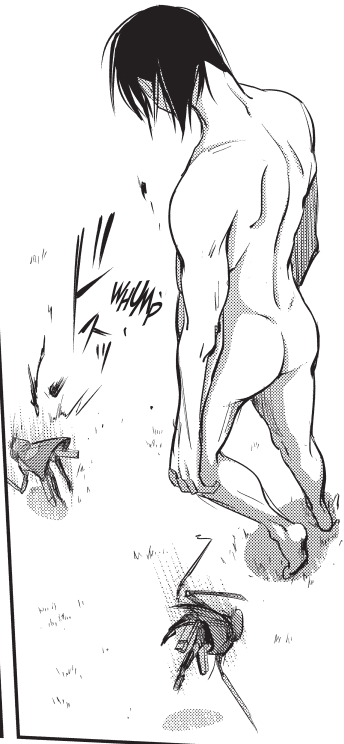

NOW'S OUR CHANCE!
GO STRAIGHT FOR THE NECK!!
ROAAAH!
WHOAAA!
?!
WOBBLE

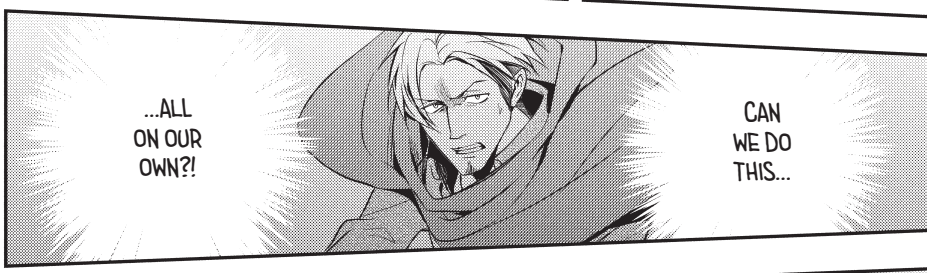

TWIST
WAAAAH!!
TWIST
OH...
UCK!
SWP

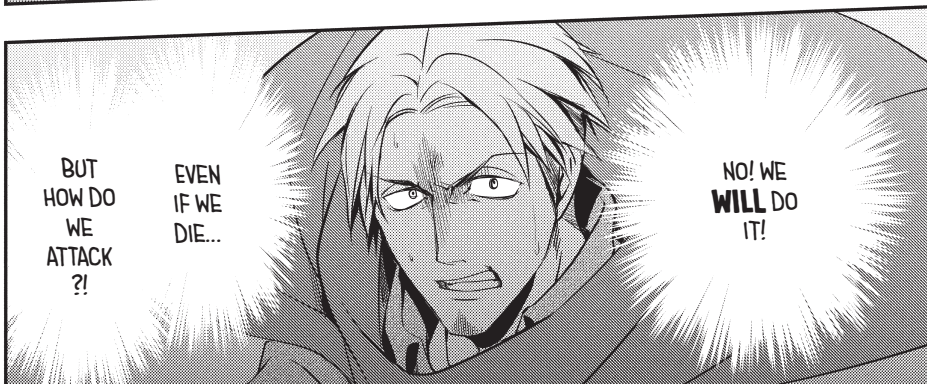
CRUNCH
QUITE A BIG GUY, ISN'T HE?
THUD
CLOP
CLOP
CLOP


SHP...


DAMN IT! IT'S STARTED RUNNING AGAIN!!
THUD
THUD


WHUMP

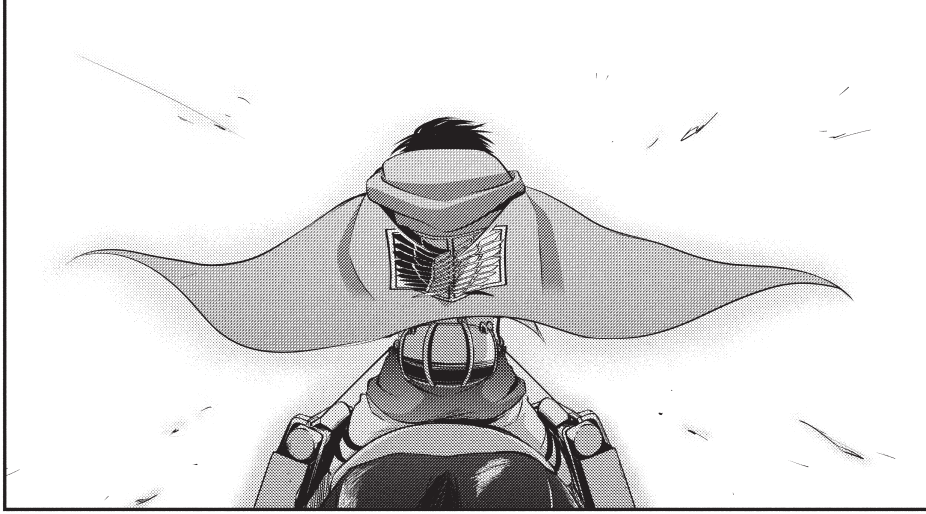

...ALL ON OUR OWN?!
CAN WE DO THIS...


BUT HOW DO WE ATTACK ?!
EVEN IF WE DIE...
NO! WE **WILL** DO IT!

?!
YES, SIR!!
THERE'S NO TIME TO THINK!!
SAIRAM, FOLLOW ME!!
THUD
THUD
CLOP
WHAT'RE **YOU** DOING?!
YOU LITTLE PUNK...
THEN WHY USE THESE HALF-ASSED TACTICS TO FIGHT THEM?
YOU SAID I SHOULDN'T UNDERESTIMATE THE TITANS, RIGHT?

WHOOSH
LET'S GO!!
ISABEL! FURLAN!
FURLAN! SHUT UP AND GET READY!!
SHIT!! IF I'D KNOWN THIS WAS GONNA HAPPEN, I'D STILL BE BACK THERE DRINKING SEWER WATER!
...
—WAIT!! YOU'RE STILL ROOKIES !!
W-

THE WAY HE SWUNG HIS ARMS AROUND? THAT'S GONNA BE A PAIN.
BUT WHILE HE'S DOING IT, HIS LEGS SHOULDN'T BE MOVING!
THUD
THUD
THUD
DAMN... HE'S BIG...
GRIT
YEAH... THERE'S NO WAY WE CAN BEAT HIM...
EVEN SO...

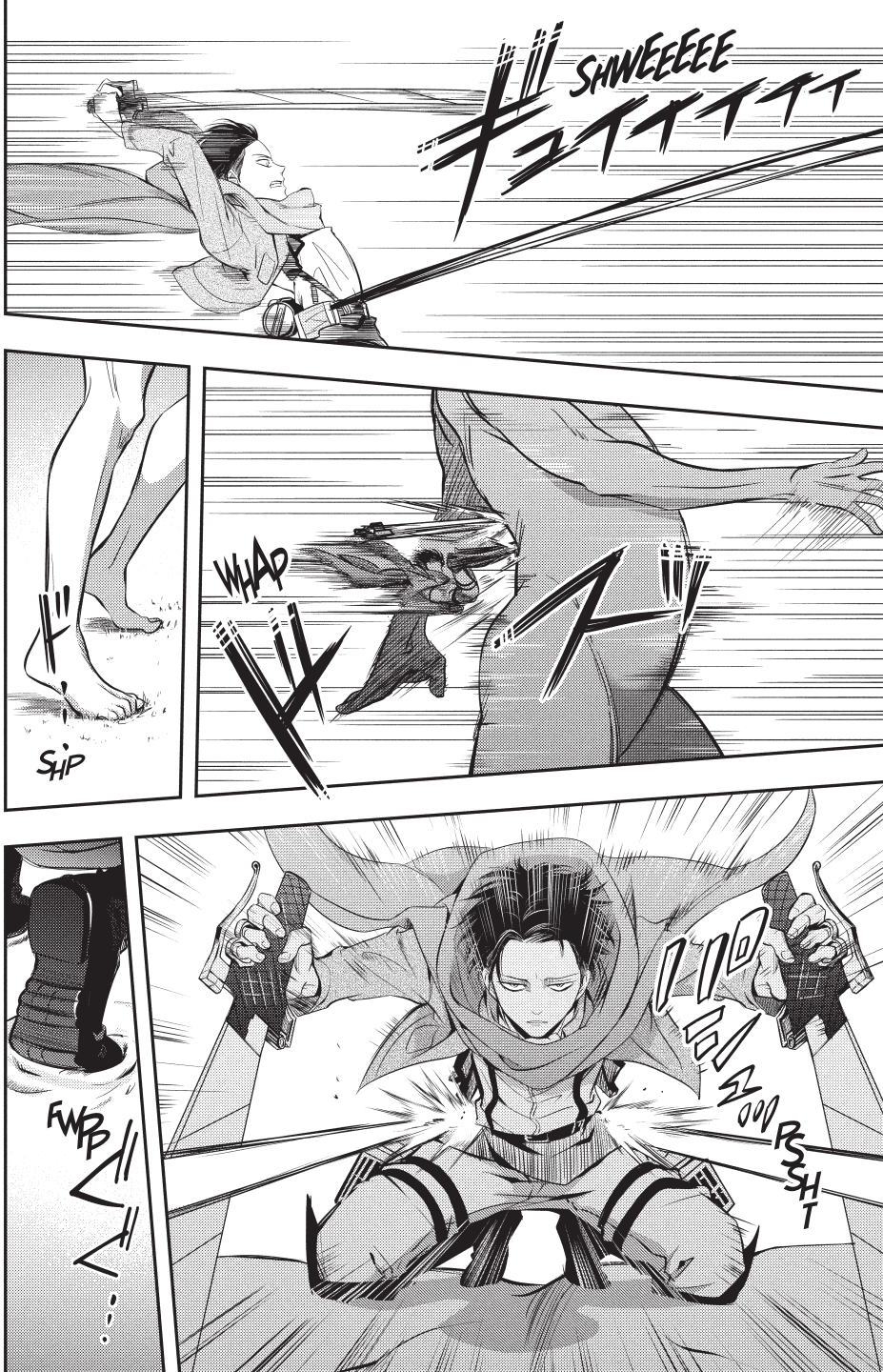


YOU TWO BREAK ITS KNEES AND IMMOBILIZE IT. GOT THAT?
I'LL CLING TO THE TITAN AND DRAW ITS ATTENTION.

YEAH, SURE...

EASY AS PIE!!

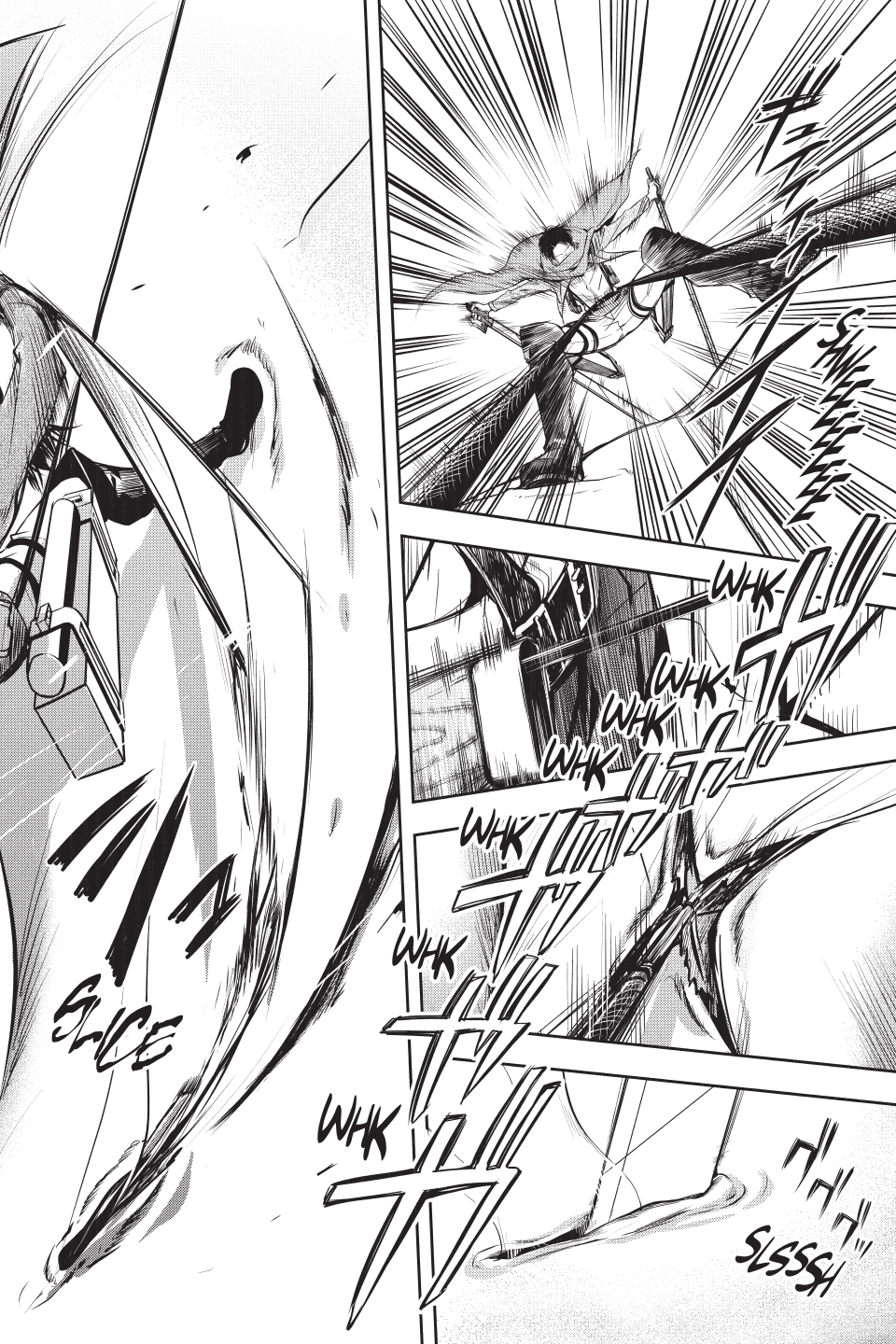
FWAP
PSHT
ZWAK
WHOOSH


SHWEEEEE
WHAP
SHIP
FWIP
PSHT

TWIST
TWIST
NOW! DO IT!!
HERE WE GO, FURLAN !!
PSHT
OH, GOD! FINE!!
ZWAK

WHOOSH
オッ
WAP

FWOO
HMPH!
FWOO
SLASH
WOBBLE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WHK
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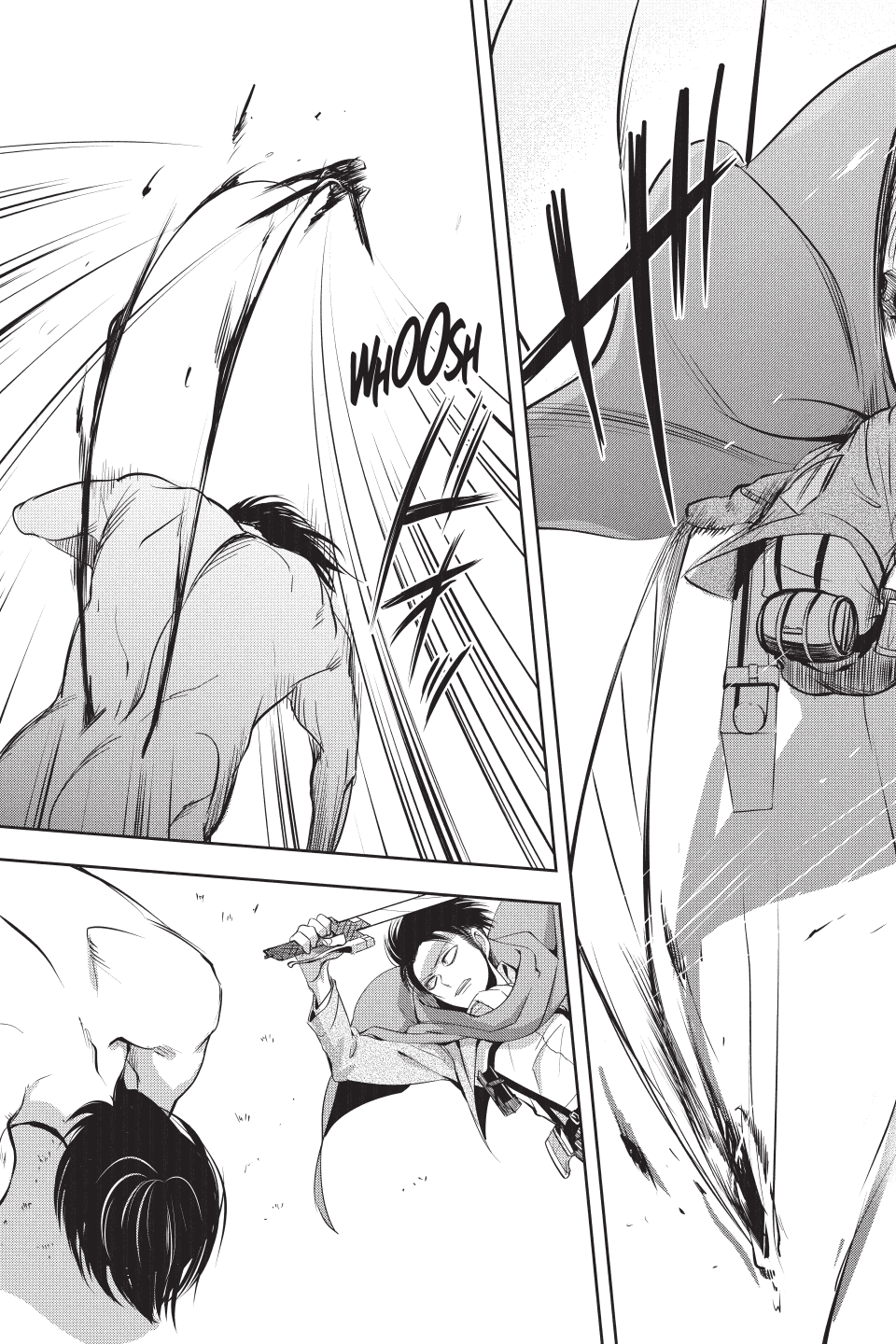
WHK
SLICE
SLSSSH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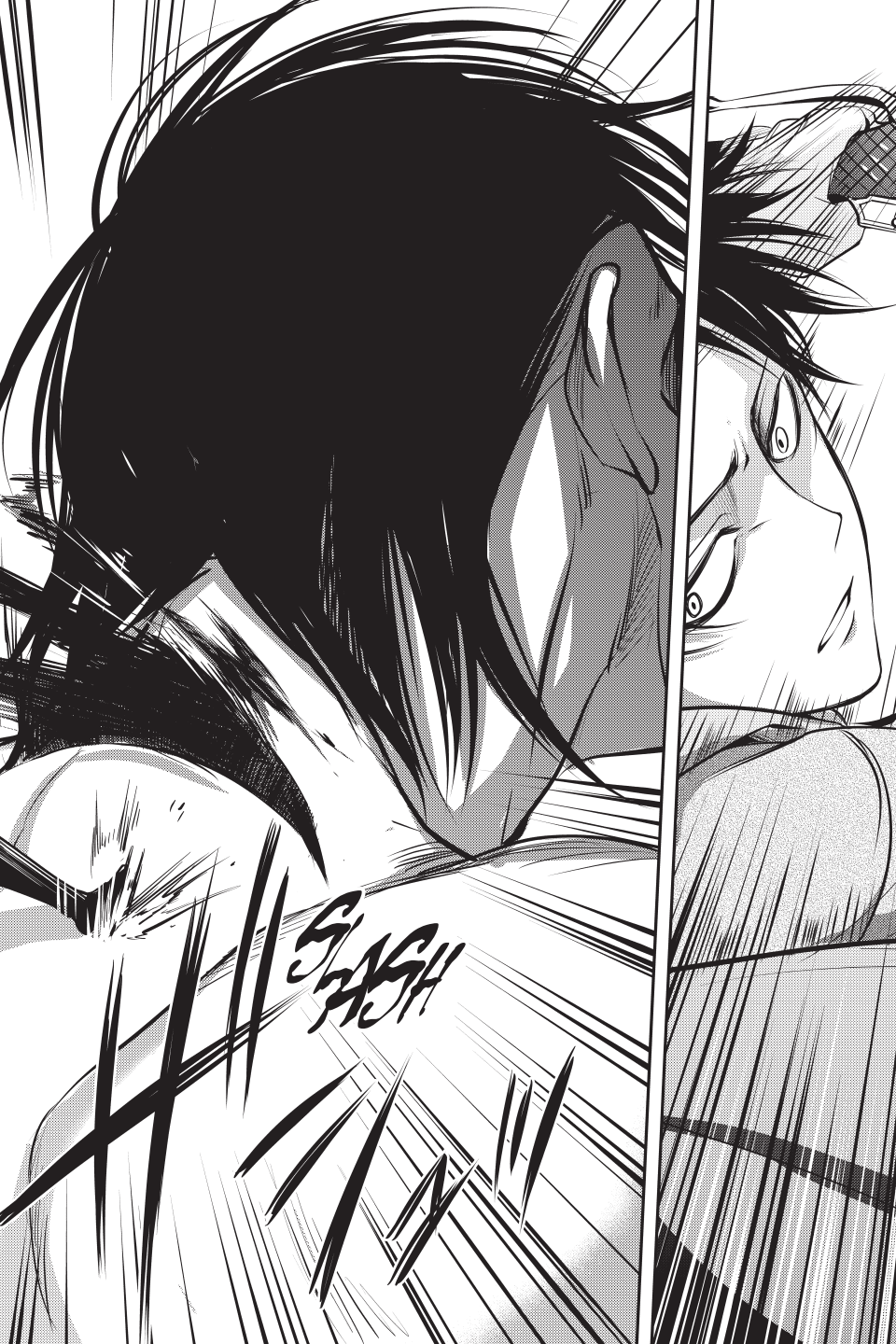
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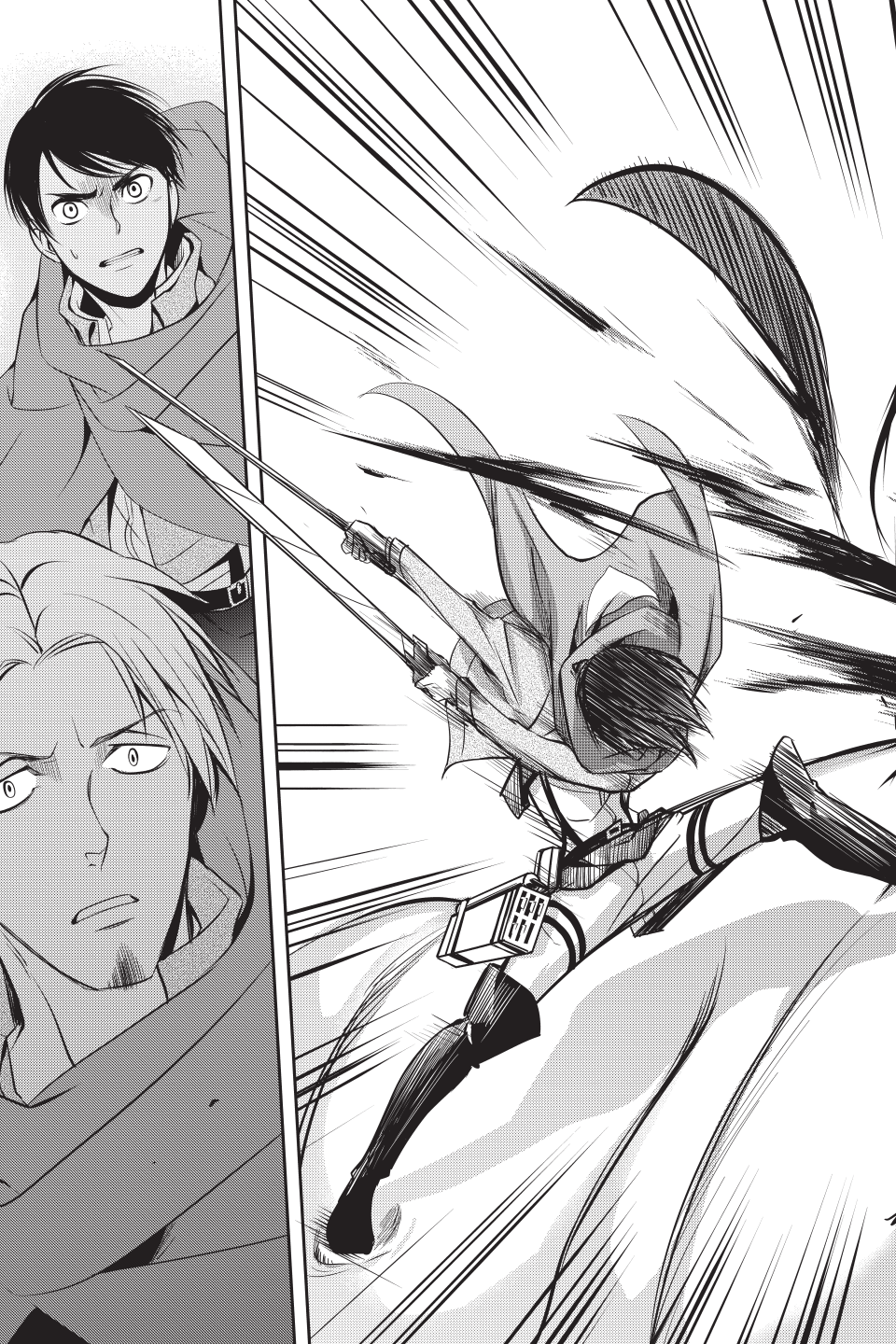

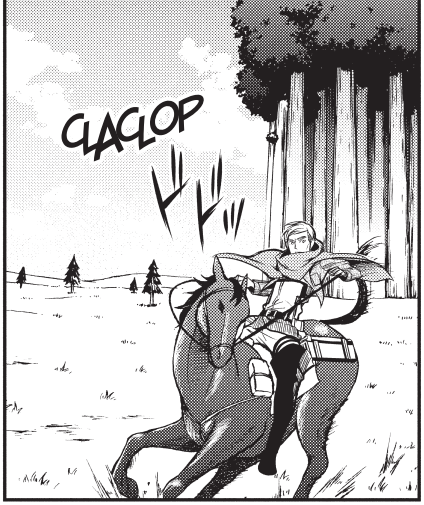
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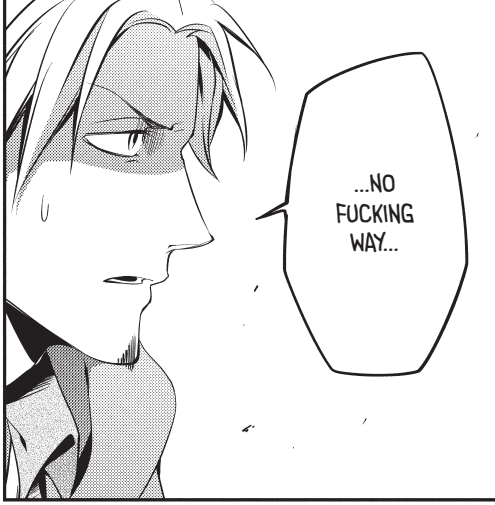
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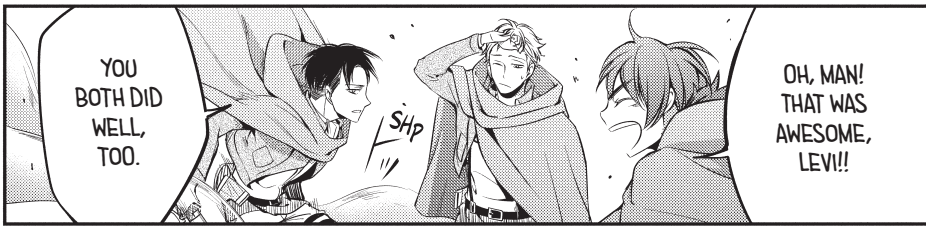
YOU BOTH DID WELL, TOO.
SHP
OH, MAN! THAT WAS AWESOME, LEVI!!

SO YOUR WINGS ARE THE REAL THING, AFTER ALL...
...LEVI.
Continued in Vol. 2

To be continued...

Hello there. My name is Hikaru Suruga.
Thank you so much for reading!

I love "Attack on Titan," and I am so happy to be able to draw a Titan story. "No Regrets" was born out of the additions Gun Snark of Nitroplus made to Hajime Isayama's original world. I hope they enjoy this manga version, which I drew based on their work. I am grateful to everyone who gave me this precious opportunity.

Before the manga began serialization, on the advice of the editor-in-chief, I visited a place called the Metropolitan Area Outer Underground Discharge Channel for research, to fill out my mental image of the Underground, where Levi and his comrades live. It's a mysterious space, where a lot of concrete pillars 18 meters (59 feet) high stretch out toward the ceiling. While imagining the atmosphere of the Underground, I grew excited about the story of Levi and the others that was about to begin.
The impact of actually experiencing that space was totally different from that of seeing photos. I was actually able to picture the massive size of an 18-meter class Titan.

The story's still going, so please look forward to the rest. I'm going to keep working hard!

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In Vol. 2:
LEVI AND THE SURVEY CORPS...
...FINALLY VENTURE BEYOND THE WALLS!
Coming October 2014

WHIP
N-NGAAAH...
SLASH!
EACH TIME THEY ENCOUNTER A TITAN, THE SURVEY CORPS MUST MAKE MORE SACRIFICES...
WHOA! AMAZING!!
...AND THE EXPEDITION TAKES A COURSE NEITHER LEVI NOR ERWIN COULD HAVE IMAGINED!
And then, that day came...
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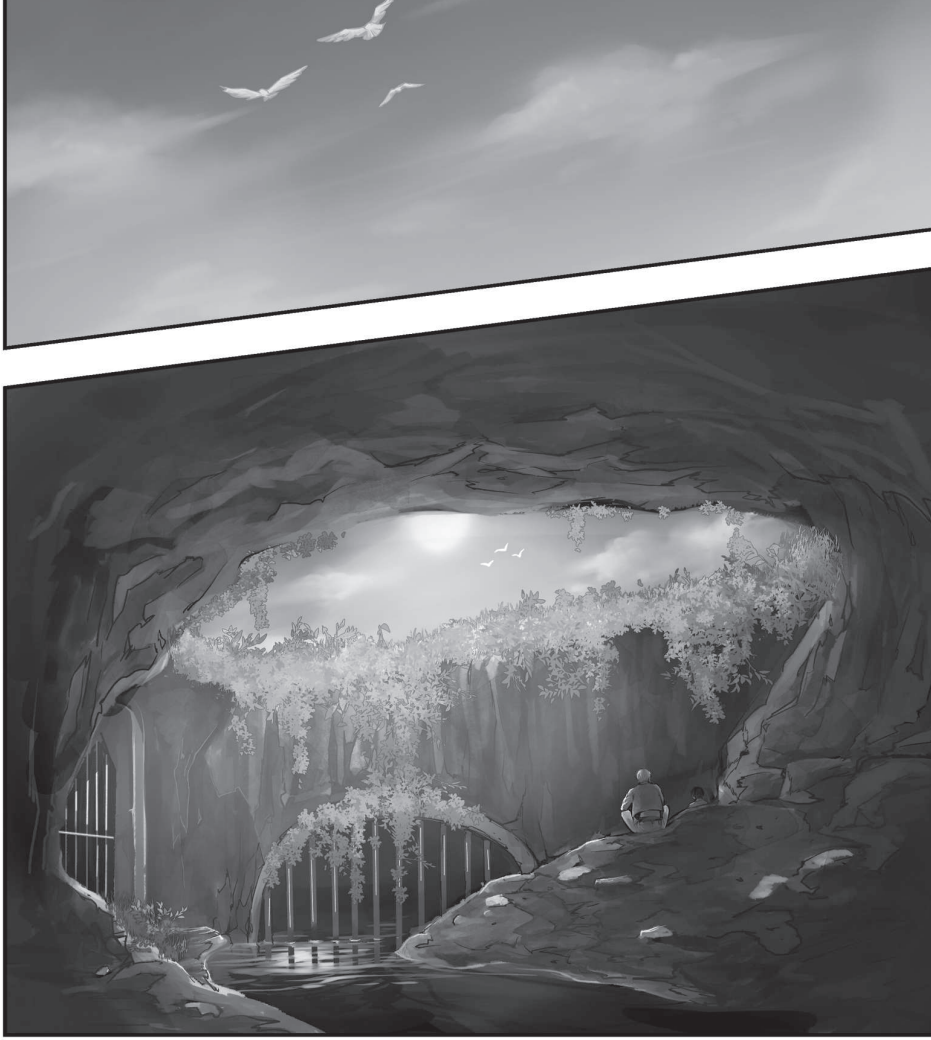


I WONDER WHERE THEY'RE GOING.

TO PLACES WE COULDN'T GO EVEN WITH THOSE MACHINES.
THEY CAN EVEN FLY BEYOND THE WALLS.
FAR AWAY...
JUST YOU WAIT! I'LL GO WITH YOU SOMEDAY.
GOT THAT RIGHT!
LET'S GO.

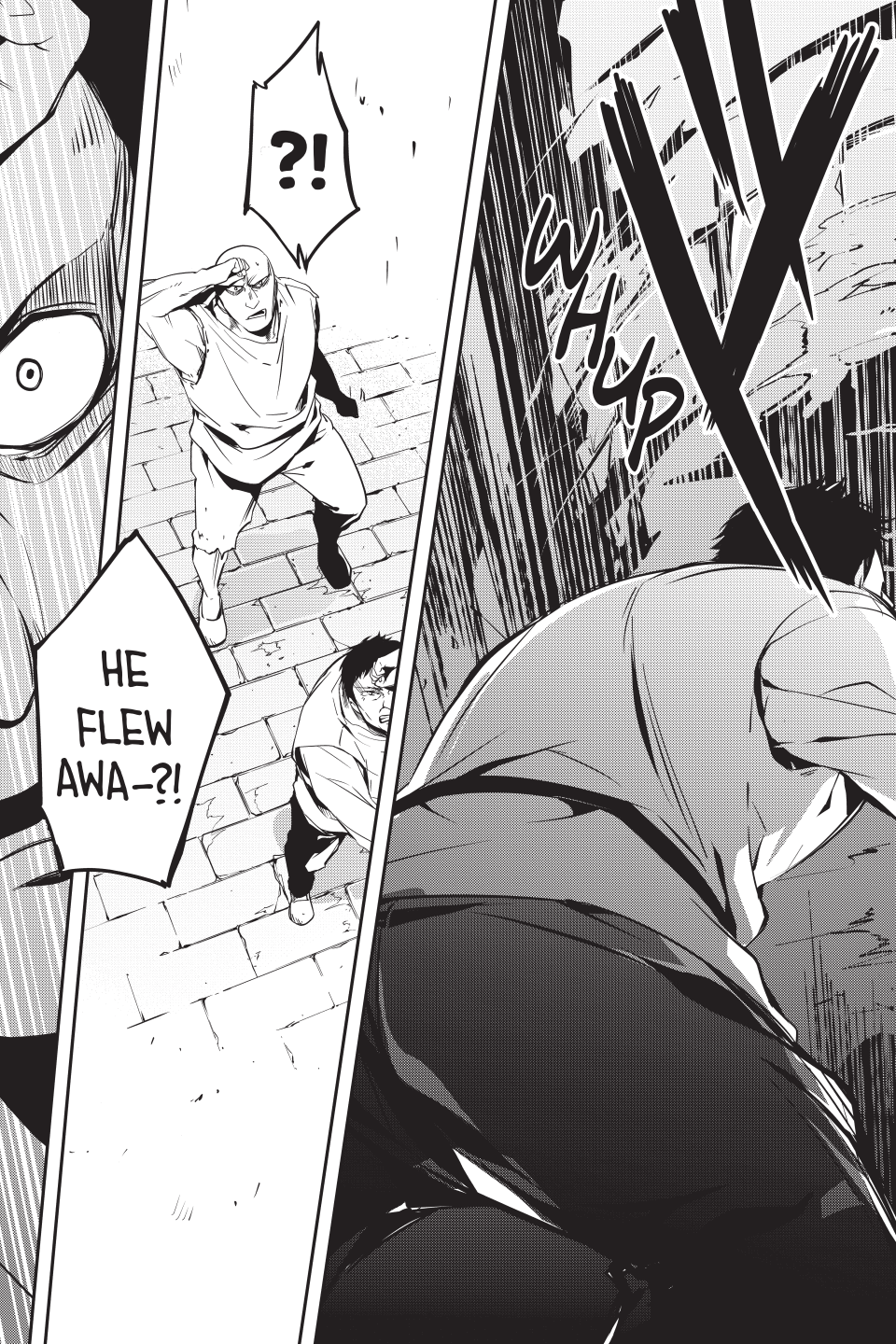
THE UNDER-GROUND, BENEATH THE ROYAL CAPITAL
TSHF...

HEY, YOU! STOP RIGHT THERE !!
MUTTER...
THUMP
GWAH!
OW!! IT HURTS !!
YEAH, YOU!!
YOU LITTLE SHRIMP !!
YOU RUN SOMEONE OVER WITHOUT SO MUCH AS AN APOLOGY ?!
I KNOW YOU CAN HEAR ME, SHRIMP!!
THAT CON MAN'S YELLING AT YOU.
GIVE IT UP! DON'T YOU KNOW WHO THEY ARE?
I SAID STOP OR I LET THE AIR IN THROUGH YOUR HEAD!
KCHK

CHK
WE DON'T HAVE TIME TO GET DISTRACTED HERE.
C'MON. WHAT'S WRONG WITH A LITTLE FUN BEFORE WORK?
PSHIT
THOK
!!!

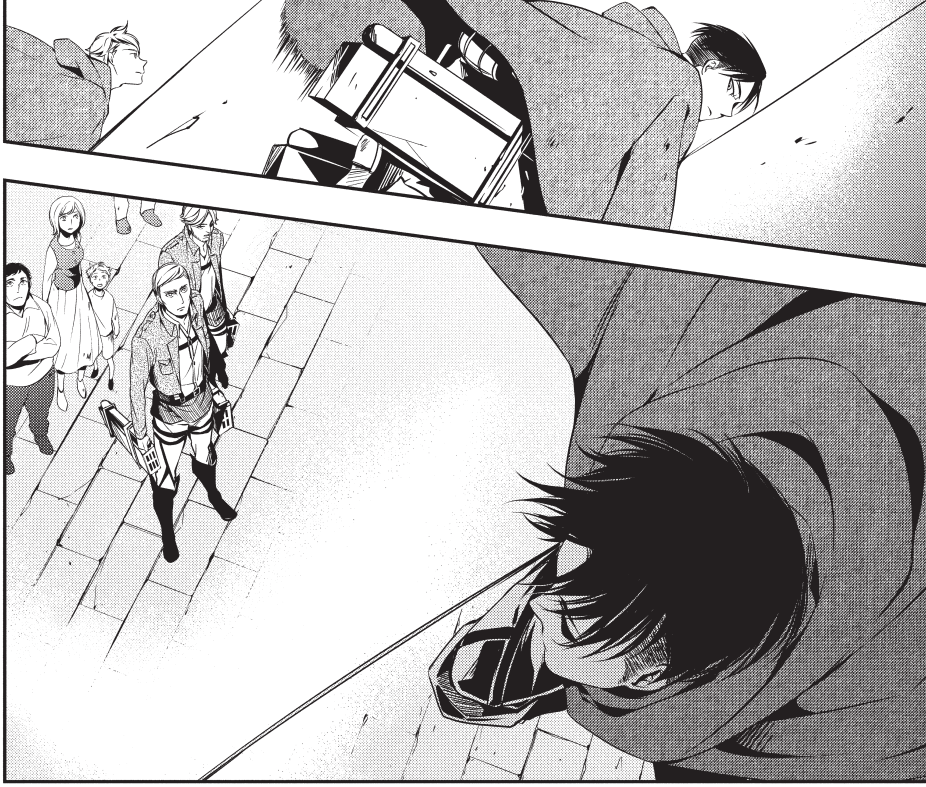
RATTLE
BANG
DAMN IT!
PSHT
WHOOM

FWOH


?!
HE FLEW AWA-?!
WHAM

HYAAA

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SMALLER ONE?
...HEY.
GAK
HEH HEH.
WE LOST SOME TIME, DIDN'T WE?
LET'S GO BY AIR.



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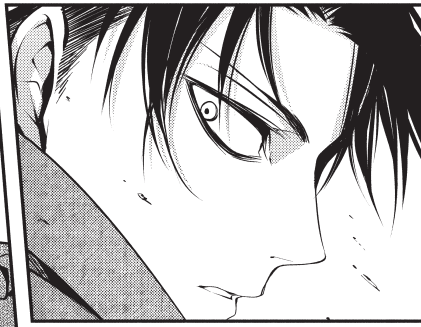
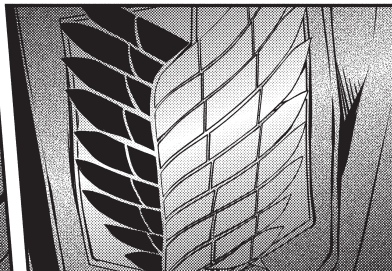
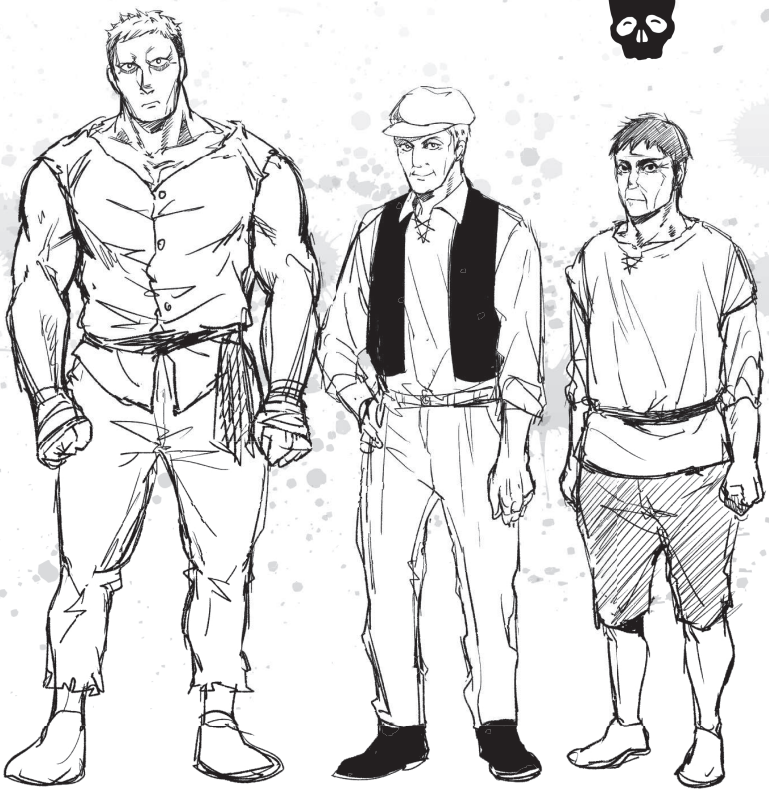




CHARACTER SKETCHES

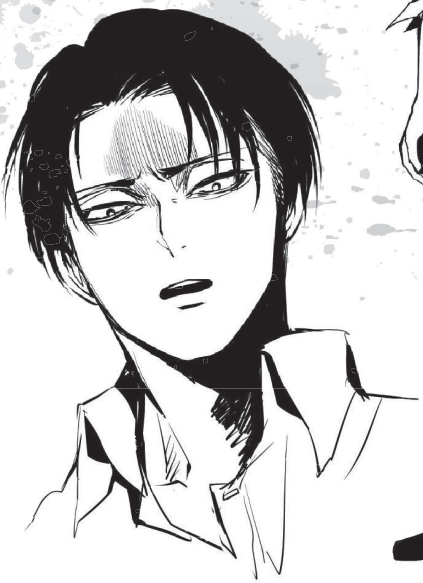
THREE MINOR CHARACTERS

THEY TOLD ME, "GIVE US THREE CHARACTER DESIGNS," MEANING LEVI'S GROUP, BUT I MISUNDERSTOOD, AND THIS WAS THE RESULT. -SURUGA



Levi

FOR LEVI, I WAS ALWAYS CAREFUL TO PRESERVE THE SPIRIT OF THE ORIGINAL. I AM STILL IN TRAINING. THE BESSATSU MAGAZINE EDITOR IN CHARGE OF "ATTACK ON TITAN," BACK, TOLD ME, "HE SHOULD BE SOMEWHAT YOUNGER THAN HE IS NOW, I THINK." SO I TRIED TO MAKE HIM LOOK YOUNGER. HE'S THE TYPE OF CHARACTER WHO DOESN'T SHOW A LOT OF EMOTION ON HIS FACE, SO I OFTEN WORRIED OVER WHAT EXPRESSION HE SHOULD BE WEARING AT DIFFERENT TIMES, BUT IN EVERY SCENE HE WAS FUN TO DRAW.



Isabel

THE CHARACTER DESIGN BY NAMANIKU ATK AT NITROPLUS WAS VERY CUTE, SO I AIMED FOR A LIVELY, ENERGETIC GIRL TO BRING THAT CUTENESS OUT. BUT I ALSO ALWAYS KEEP IN MIND THAT THIS IS AN EXPRESSIVE CHARACTER WHOSE STRENGTH EQUALS A MAN'S, AND WHO CAN STAND AGAINST THE TITANS JUST AS WELL.

Furlan

FURLAN WAS ALSO A CHARACTER DESIGNED BY NAMANIKU ATK FROM NITROPLUS. I WAS ABLE TO REPRODUCE HIS HAIRSTYLE UNEXPECTEDLY SMOOTHLY. HIS RECORD IS THAT OF A FORMER GANG LEADER, BUT I PICTURE HIM AS USING BRAINS BEFORE BRAWN. I FELT THAT I WANTED TO GIVE HIM FACIAL CHARACTERISTICS THAT WERE DIFFERENT FROM BOTH LEVI AND ISABEL, SO I WENT THROUGH A LOT OF TRIAL AND ERROR.

Air intake?

THIS WAS ONE OF THE TITLE PAGE CANDIDATES I DREW FOR THE PROLOGUE. A RESIDENT OF THE UNDERGROUND WOULD GO ABOVE AS A MEMBER OF THE SURVEY CORPS. I TRIED TO GIVE THIS PICTURE THE FEELING OF THE BEGINNING OF THAT STORY WHEN I WAS DRAWING IT.

THIS IS AN ALTERNATE SKETCH FOR THE BONUS MANGA COVER.

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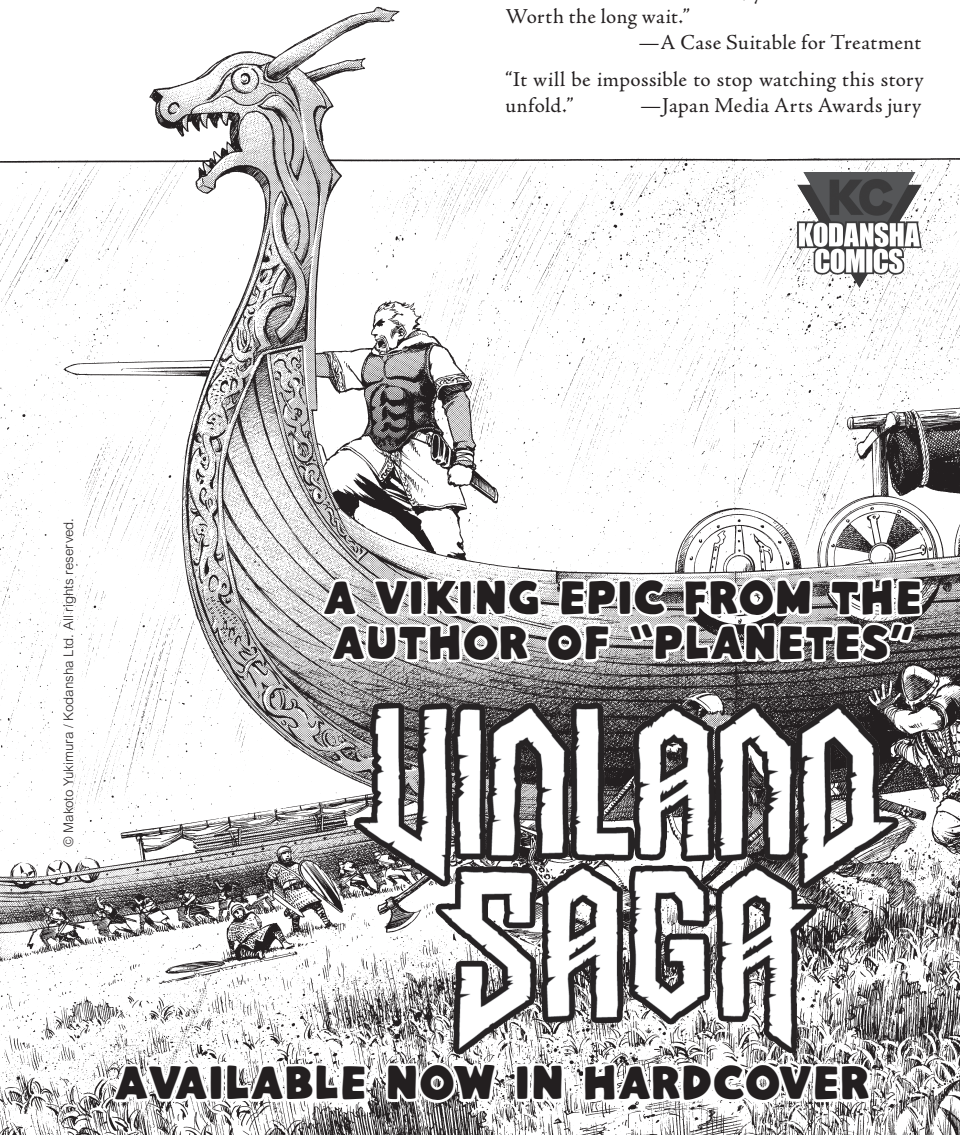

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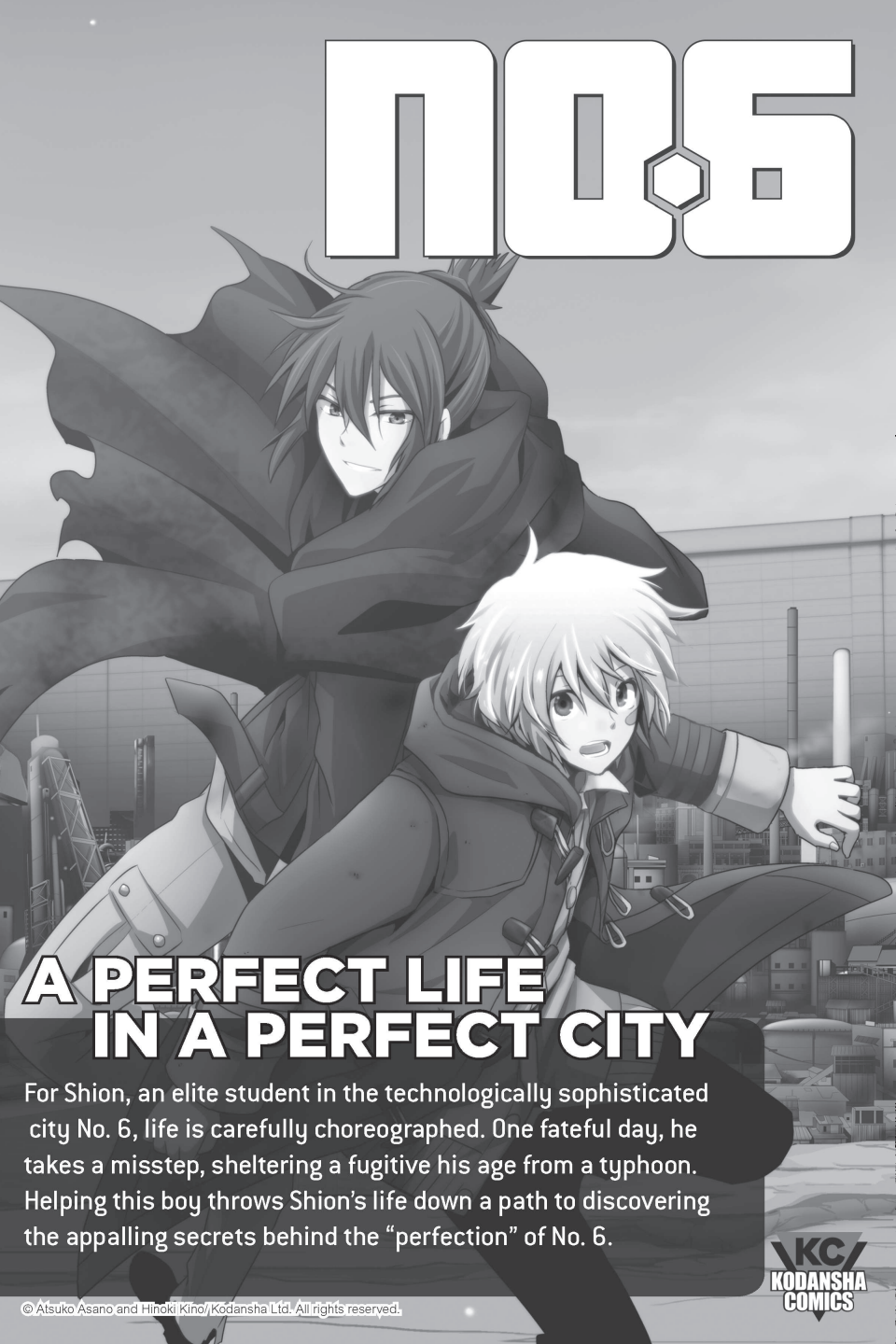

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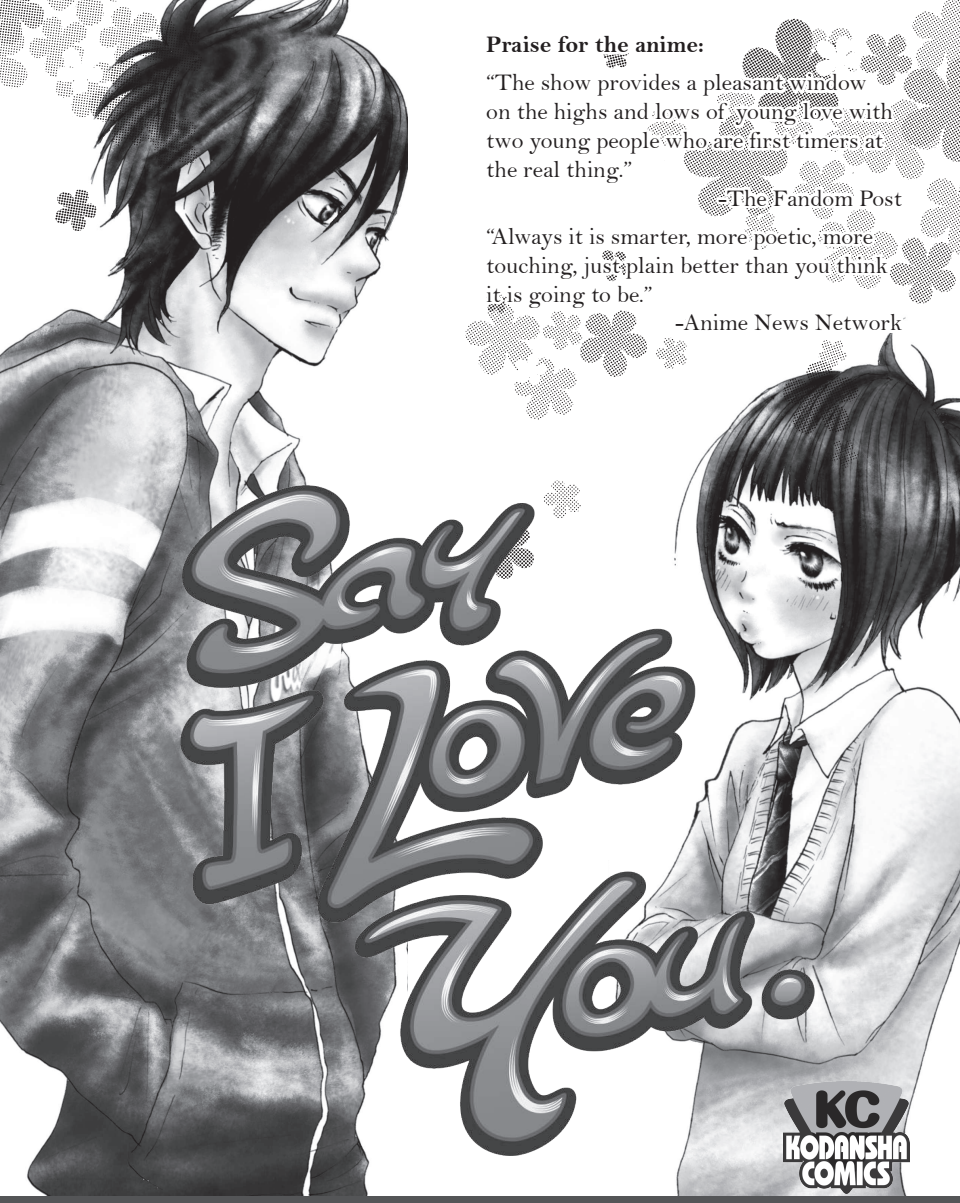

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